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A 10-year-old subdivision slipped by Romulus Mayor Oakley

I am responding to the article in the July 26th paper regarding 72 prefab homes slated for Hannan Road.

In that article, written by Gena Giannuzzi, it states that Mayor Bill Oakley recently commented that it has been 30 years since new homes have been built in Romulus.

Not true, I live in the Applewood 2 subdivision and our neighborhood is only 10-years-old. If you find this hard to believe, just ask Mayor Pro Tem Randolph Gear, he lives in the same subdivision.

I find it sad that our mayor doesn't realize that we are even here. Although I will add, he seemed to find my home just fine when he was running for his first term.

Former Westland recall workers have earned election to council

Mrs. McKinney has it right when she says the Westland City Council should stop approving mayoral appointments for commissions. How long are we going to be stuck with this mayor's appointments? Years to come.

Now a few of them are running for council. Recalled Councilman Trav Griffin said recall people would run and ruin the city. I say recall people accomplished what no one else has ever been able to do — better than our so called garbage collectors. My vote will go to anyone that worked on the recall. They proved they are winners.

Mrs. McKinney, bravo. Mr. Gracin, hurrah, and I believe, but could be mistaken, Mr. Kehrer. Good going. Ya got my vote!

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Sun deepwell expects EPA approval

By GENA GIANNUZZI
MCN Special Writer

On July 24, 2001 the EPA held a formal hearing at the Crowne Plaza Hotel on Merriman Road regarding the permit to allow Sun Pipe Line, a Sunoco, Inc. propane storage facility located on Inkster Road in Romulus since the 1950s, to build a deep well 3900 - 4400 feet underground into the sandstone of the Mount Simon formation, to store brine – a salt water mixture.

Sun Pipe Line uses the brine to enlarge underground caverns in salt beds located 1,150 – 1,750 feet underground in which they store propane fuel. They also pump brine into the caverns to push the propane out. Since the brine is heavier and does not mix with propane, it pushes the propane to the top. Currently Sun Pipe Line stores over forty-one million gallons of propane in eight caverns, but plans to more than double their storage capabilities. They currently store the brine in above ground pools.

EPA geologist Harlan Gerrish, who is also in charge of handling the EDS hazardous waste deep well permit slated to go in just 2900 feet away from the Sun Pipe Line well, addressed the questions posed to him at the meeting.

Many people who have followed the progress of the EDS well were present at the meeting with concerns about the close proximity of the two wells, and the possibility of the substances stored in the two wells mixing.

Romulus Councilperson Debra Romak calls Romulus "a community at risk," because of the volatile and hazardous materials stored in the community.

Gerrish, displaying a migration chart on the two wells showed how liquids stored in the wells would eventually migrate underground outward until the two would mingle at some point in two to ten years.

Representative Ray Basham, D-Taylor, asked Gerrish about the possible resulting interactions among the hazardous materials being stored by EDS, and the brine by Sun Pipe Line. Gerrish noted that the Sun's brine is a salt water of the same salinity as seawater. "The interactions that would result are not combustible. They might form precipitate, which is they might form solids that may plug and cause the pressure needed to inject to increase," he said.

However, Gerrish admitted that there is a problem with both wells going in so close. He stated that because Sun Pipe Line would be floating the salt water in and out of the well, and that the salt water would eventually intermingle with the EDS well's hazardous waste that, "The two (wells) are not compatible. It would result in Sun floating up hazardous waste." He added, "But I don't know what kind of law would regulate that."

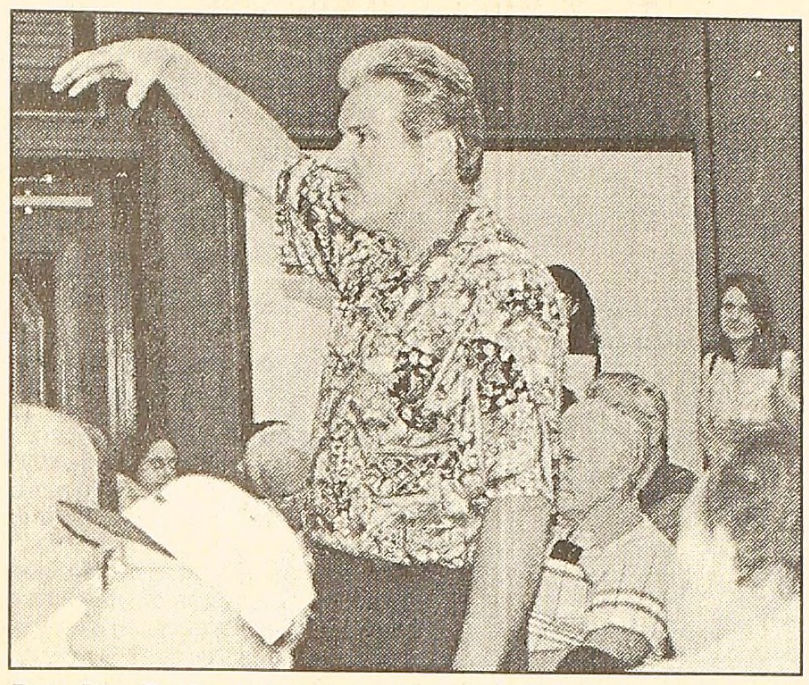
Later Gerrish reiterated, "Eventually there will come a point when the Sun well will become a storer of hazardous waste. Legally they can continue until that happens."

Representative Basham asked Gerrish, "Is the EPA going to permit one and not the other?" Many in the audience audibly gasped as Gerrish answered that the EPA will probably approve both.

EPA attorney Maria Gonzales defended the EPA's actions, stating, "Our decisions to grant or deny has to be based on statutes and regulations."

Dave Novak, the facilitator of the information meeting also commented, "We are working within the constraints that Congress passed."

The EPA will accept public comments to be officially added to their public records until August 10th. However, as far as Sun's permit goes, Gerrish said, "The only thing that would prevent it is if there is a flaw in the information up to this point...they have already been issued a draft permit."



Rep. Ray Basham expresses his opposition to both the EDS and Sun Pipeline wells at the EPA hearing.

There were no Romulus residents who expressed support for the Sun Pipe Line or EDS wells.

Water ban still in effect

According to Romulus Mayor's assistant David Cox, many Romulus citizens are calling in to City Hall, because of confusion regarding the voluntary water ban issued from the Detroit Water and Sewer Department. The Detroit Water and Sewer Department began recommending the voluntary ban to deal with a lack of sufficient rain to deal with the water demands being placed upon the system. They warned that water shortages could affect drinking water safety as well as water pressure.

What the Detroit Water and Sewer Department suggested was that citizens voluntarily choose to water their lawns in a staggered manner to reduce the strain on the water system. Those residents whose address ends in an odd number should water on days that fall on an odd number, and those resident whose address ends on an even number should water on even numbered days.

Cox said that those who have been following the ban are appreciated, and that others should consider participating in it because it has been having a positive effect. "Efforts have been effective and water pressure is up region-wide, he commented.

Restroom sting nets Wayne judge

A Metro Airport restroom that had been under surveillance for a couple of weeks following a complaint, netted a Wayne County Circuit Court judge, who allegedly was exposing himself.

Judge Richard B. Halloran, Jr., is under investigation by the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office for allegedly committing a lewd act at a restroom in the Smith Terminal. Halloran, 53, was arrested on Thursday.

Metro Airport spokesperson Mike Conway noted, "This is a situation where the officer made an arrest and it's really up to the prosecutor to see if a crime was committed. Maybe it's just an embarrassing situation."

Circuit Court Chief Judge Michael Sapala said Halloran is taking a 30-day leave of absence with pay. He is assigned to the court's family division, where he is generally known to be an outspoken advocate of efforts to fight domestic violence.

Judge Halloran was appointed to the Wayne bench by Gov. John Engler in 1998. His salary is $135,966 a year.

Kingsley house landscaping earns "Eagle" for Roscoe

Philip Roscoe coordinated volunteers to do the landscaping on the historic Kingsley House to earn his Eagle Scout badge.

Fourteen-year-old Boy Scout Philip Roscoe saw in the old S.R. Kingsley House a need and an opportunity. First a need, because the historic house had recently been relocated to downtown Romulus from "five points", and it was on a grassless lot. Second the opportunity, because it would give him a chance to give to his community and earn his Eagle Scout Badge.

The Eagle Scout Badge is the ultimate badge that a Scout can aspire to. A Scout who demonstrates all that he learned in Scouts by completely coordinating an event that both gives to his community, and shows exemplary leadership capabilities can only earn the badge.

Philip Roscoe showed both of these qualities as he took on the monumental task of landscaping the Kingsley House. First, Philip rounded up over 50 volunteers for the task including other Scout Troops from Romulus, Belleville, and Dearborn Heights. He then began asking friends, family members, and especially Romano Landscaping, who donated their landscaping expertise in designing the landscaping plans and obtaining the necessary plants.

Philip also contacted several area businesses to donate food for the volunteers, shovels, gloves and other items. Donors included Romulus Hardware, Romulus Auto, Little Caesars Pizza, Real Pizza of New Boston, Captain Nemo's of Taylor, Sister Act Catering, Tim Horton's, Z-Mart Party Store, Poke a dots Party Store, and Save More Drug Store.

Several local leaders came out for the event and praised Philip's efforts. Mayor Oakley, recognizing Philip at the July 23rd Council meeting said, "They put a heck of an effort together...I appreciate the contribution to the community." Councilperson Debbie Romak noted Philip's leadership skills, "He is a go getter. He even went to businesses in the community to get donations for refreshments." Councilperson Prybyla added, "They did a fine job."

As proud as others are of Philip's efforts, his parent's are the most proud. His parent's, Celeste and Robert Roscoe brag about Philip's diligence, and 4.0-grade average. "He's really worked hard," noted Mrs. Roscoe.

After finishing the house project, Philip attended the national Boy Scout Jamboree in Virginia at Fort Hill. When Philip returns he will be interviewed on the Mayor's Chair Cable Show on August 9th.

New terminal earns raves from trio

By GENA GIANNUZZI
MCN Special Writer

Last Tuesday, July 24, Northwest Airlines gave an official tour to Romulus City Officials of their new terminal. Councilman Donald Morris, Councilman William Crova, Mayor Bill Oakley, and their wives attended the tour, open to all city officials.

Mayoral assistant David Cox said that the tour is necessary because Romulus approves permits for construction that is done on airport property, and has some inspectors that are constantly covering airport building permit activities. Cox said, "Romulus inspectors have to oversee projects to make sure that they comply with local code. It is important for the council and Mayor to see what is going on to keep them updated, so the city of Romulus knows what they need to insure that they are building structures that are safe and up to code."

Mayor Oakley commented about the terminal, "It is mammoth – very, very big. The plans for the new addition are focused on comforts for the traveling public."

Oakley added, "It will create a lot of traffic and should create a lot of business outlets because of the traffic."

Councilman Crova continued on with praise saying, "I am very impressed with the structure that I see there. It will mean an awful lot more commerce at the airport. It will inconvenience us in Romulus because of traffic, but will also benefit us because of the spin off of additional businesses that are needed."

"It also means more jobs. There are 1800 craftsmen out there working on the job, it is a very big labor force. It will help the economy of Southeastern Michigan."

Crova pointed out, "All the buildings and structures on the airport are Wayne County's. None pay property taxes or acknowledge the Romulus Building Department. It was Northwest that invited us, not Wayne County. It contributes to a cooperative relationship between Northwest and the city of Romulus."

"This is the first time that Romulus is being compensated for any of the building occurring on airport property. We are being compensated for building permits because of an agreement between Northwest and Romulus. In the past, the county has disregarded Romulus and our building codes," added Crova who acknowledged that Mayor Oakley was the one that ironed out the new agreement allowing Romulus to inspect the new terminal's construction.

Councilman Donald Morris agreed about the vastness of the new terminal. "It certainly is big, and is something that southeast Michigan has needed. We're coming into the 21st century. As one travels, and sees different airports, it has seemed that Detroit Metro Airport was one of the worst airports, but now it looks like it will be one of the best. It takes your breath away," Morris said.

Morris noted that the impact on Romulus is hard to comment on. "It possibly may mean more jobs, but as far as the terminal and airport are concerned, I am sorry to say that we do not get any property taxes on that land. We hope that a lot of people from the airport will be living in the houses we are building, but I wish that we could get taxes from it."

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Sound Off Extra

Shame on councilmen for trying to silence the Voucher Lady

Godbout and Stottlemeyer, shame on you for trying to stop Debbie Hessler-Davis from questioning the vouchers at the council meetings. As a taxpayer, I want to know where the money is going.

I work and am unable to get to council meetings, but if I were, I would also question some of the vouchers. The city employees at Westland City Hall still get bottled water from Absopure. If they can't drink out of the tap like the citizens, then let them bring their Absopure water. It is not the city's responsibility to provide bottled water for employees.

And where is all the gas going? Hessler-Davis has been complaining for a year and we still don't know where the gas is going. How many times do people fill up on Fridays? How many gallons do they get? Where are the speedometer logs?

It's time for Westland to buckle down on the gas and water issues.

Caller says the price of not electing LeBlanc mayor is high

If "Price is right," why do I think that so many police officers support Richard LeBlanc?

Chief, your own people don't seem to me to be behind you, so why would the rest of Westland's populous back you?

Truly, the right choice for mayor is Richard LeBlanc. Folks, wake up! It is time for a change in the mayor's office and not more of the same.

Vote for the candidate who keeps his word and works for the citizens of Westland. His record is obvious, and the choice is clear.

Come on Westland, let's end the politics and bickering and band together. It is time for a change.

Caller vents conspiracy theory about our letter and Sound Off policy

Has this paper been taken over by Angela Todd and Brenda Gracin?

Seems like they're the ones that get their Sound Offs and letters in without question. Are they the proof readers now?

I know Ms Todd refers to her letters as articles. I know of several people who have written letters and it has taken weeks, if ever at all, before they are printed.

Could this be because they speak against the aforementioned? I know when I've questioned this in the past, I was informed they had gotten misplaced. Oh well, it goes back to "It's not what you know but who you know."

Callers accused of belittling Todd to boost their self-esteem

I have enjoyed living in Westland for the past eight years. It's a wonderful community with much to offer a young family; but every community has it's own version of a stick in the mud.

When my son showed me the Sound Off, "Angela Todd's California trip provides a respite . . ., " I felt a need to explain to him about how some people see themselves in relation to others.

For some, especially children, belittling others is a way to boost their self-esteem. Most people grow out of this type of overt behavior and on to better things.

I explained to him that so long as you're trying to devalue other people you are advertizing your own low self-esteem. Kind a like a bully that can only really feel good about himself by picking on the smaller kids or one who's different.

Becoming a good person is something you learn. The smarter and luckier people get better every day of their lives.

My family has enjoyed Ms. Todd's letters to the editor. Sure they're a little different, but that's what this country is all about.

After our conversation, my son asked me, "If that lady doesn't like her letters, why does she read 'em?"

What could I say but "Well, I guess she never grew up.

Caller reminds Westland candidates to put the public first

Good luck to all of the Westland City Council and mayoral candidates. Some are pros, some are newcomers, all are seeking the votes of the public.

Let's remember that it is a public office and it is the best interest of the public that you will be serving. Thank you.

Thoughts solicited about fire near Westland's new fire station

Good crop of Sound-Offs lately. Glad to see that people are making their opinions known on a variety of topics.

Was wondering about the garage fire blocks away from the brand new fire station, though. Any thoughts from Westland residents on that one?

Angela Todd advised not to write letters or dance at festivals

Maybe if you stop running long boring letters from Todd you will have room for the Sound Offs and letters written by other citizens. I think everyone is a little weary of her rambling passed off as writing.

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HOMES

Forest parks offer value, nature

Lucky that developers Adam Chayet and Sandy Lane love trees.

When the pair built the city of Wayne's first condominiums in 11 years, they preserved enough of the site's mature forest as possible to give the luxury homes a woodsy feeling to enhance their urban location.

Forest Park, located at 32994 Forest Avenue, one block south of Michigan Avenue and west of Venoy, in the historic city of Wayne, is a 48-home community consisting half of two-bedroom ranch homes and half of one-and-a-half-story townhouses with a cathedral ceiling, a loft, and two or three bedrooms.

The many residents who have bought homes since the July grand opening and the many more who will end up there will be able to hike along a wood chip trail through a beautifully landscaped park. Or they can walk along well-lit sidewalks that connect the homes, woods, and parking lots.

Forest Park offers a multitude of benefits that are difficult to match, especially at the low pre-construction price of $152,900. With floor plans ranging from 1,350 to 1,550 square feet, the community offers tremendous value.

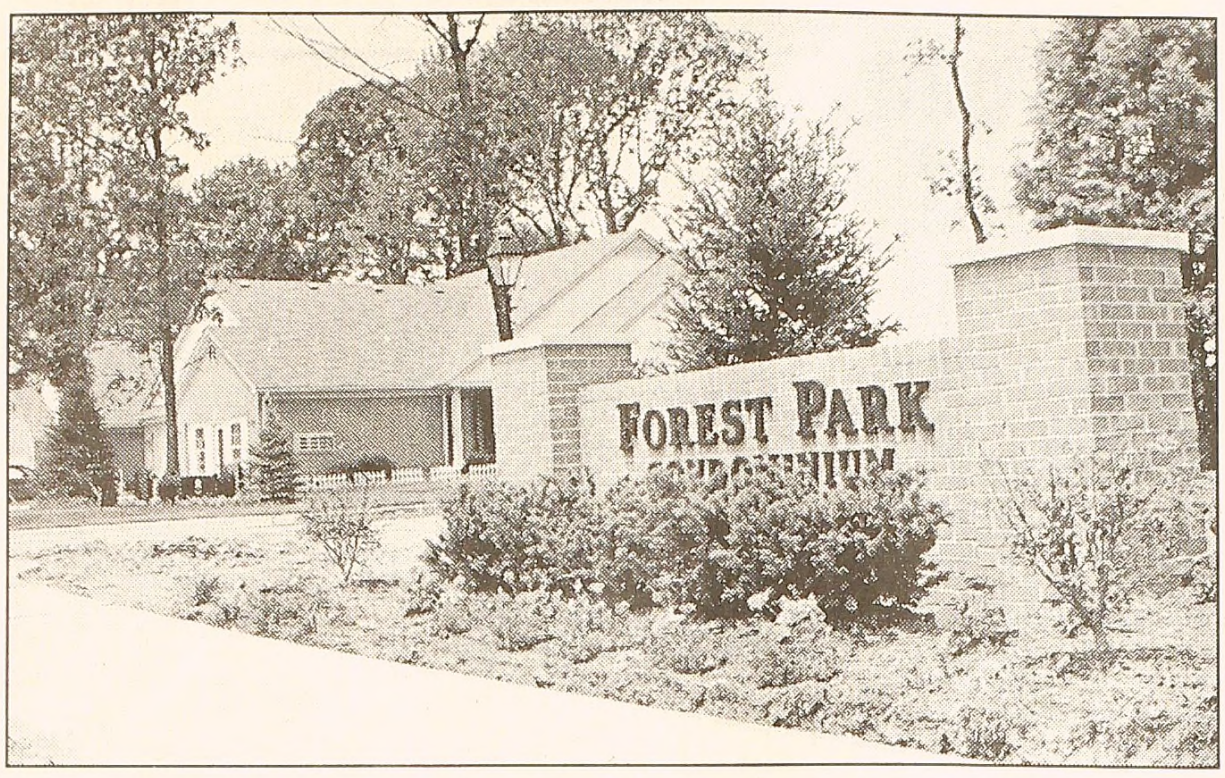
"Forest Park's ranches and townhouses are equivalent or superior to new units now selling in Canton or Westland, but are priced considerably lower, even though we border on those communities," said Lane, Pasteur Development's operations manager.

All of these new homes include a two-car attached garage, full basement, and first floor laundry. Forest Park offers the hard-to-find ranch floor plan, so convenient for maturer couples.

"We want to offer the empty-nesters a maintenance-free existence, like an oasis in the desert," said Chayet of the ranches.

Forest Park also offers spacious two-story townhouses with two bedrooms or an optional loft overlooking the 286-square-foot living room, or a third bedroom. This flexible plan includes a first-floor master bedroom and 2 1/2 baths. It's big enough for families and stylish enough for entertaining.

Each unit offers a private entry porch, vaulted ceilings, dishwasher, microwave, free-standing stove with self-cleaning oven and garbage disposal.



Entrance to the Forest Park Condominiums, a wooded community in the city of Wayne. Photos by Ivan Helfman

Other standard features include oak cabinets, snack bar countertop in kitchens, six panel interior doors, energy efficient insulation package, insulated vinyl windows and patio door with screens, phone and cable pre-wire with lines supportive of internet capabilities, vinyl floors in kitchen, foyer, baths and laundry and padded carpet in other rooms.

Gas fireplaces, decks, skylights, central air, wood and ceramic tile floors and jetted tubs can be added as optional items.

The finishing touches are classic and the floor plans have a wide open feel. This is the perfect transition into a maintenance free environment.

Forest Park Condominium is in the excellent Wayne-Westland school district.

The city of Wayne has a beautiful, modern, community center with a unique swimming pool and ice rink. They also host a community theater with fine entertainment. The many parks include the outdoor Goudy amphitheater with summer concerts and activities for senior citizens. There are numerous playgrounds and ballparks throughout the community.

Shopping choices are abundant with Westland Shopping Center close by and neighborhood centers with Kroger and Farmer Jack minutes away.

Restaurants of all types are prevalent in the area as well as jewelers, clothiers, furniture and a variety of local stores.

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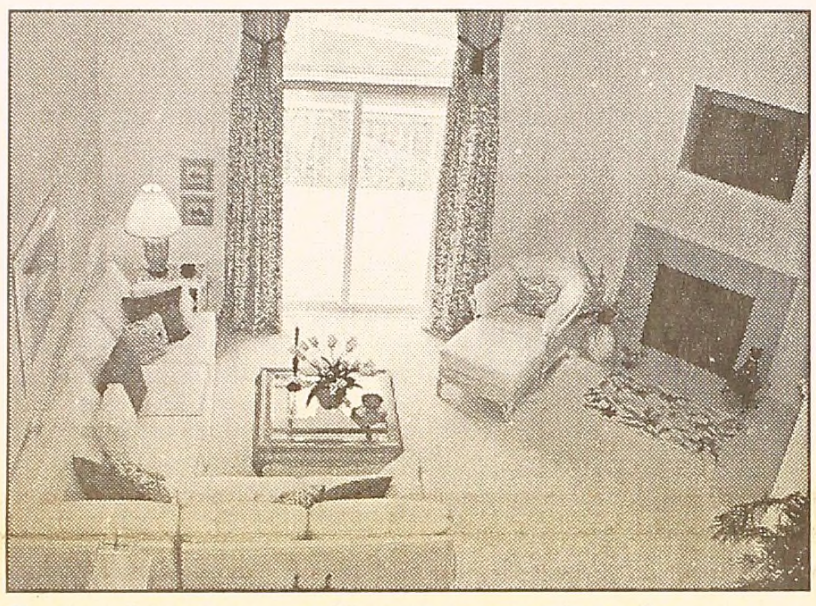

Spacious living-rooms provide space to entertain or relax.

- *The townhouse has a 286-square-foot living area that is open to all rooms. The great room has a slant ceiling which ranges in height from 11 to 18 feet.*
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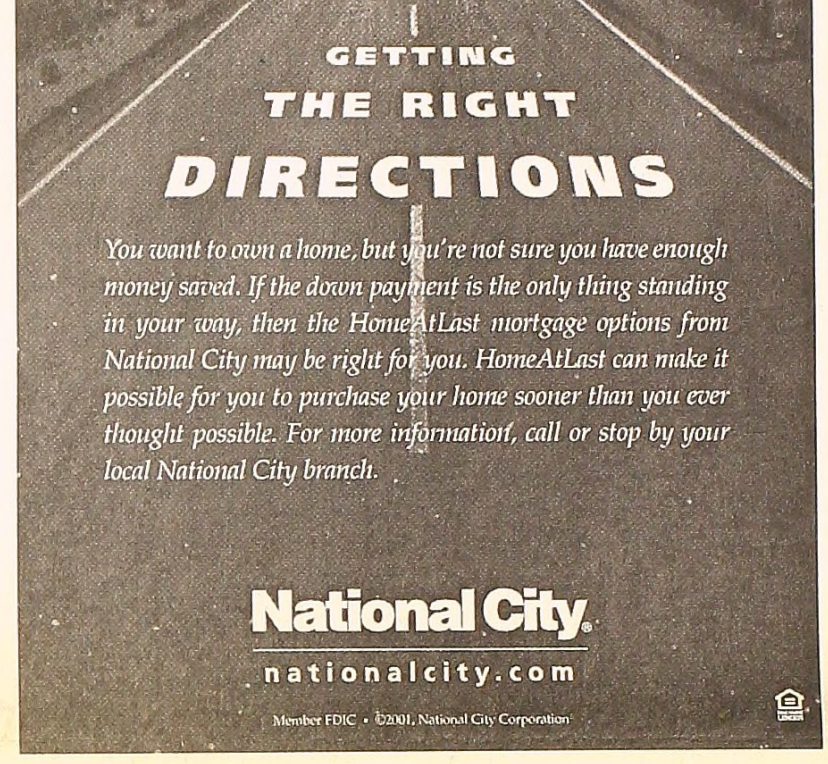

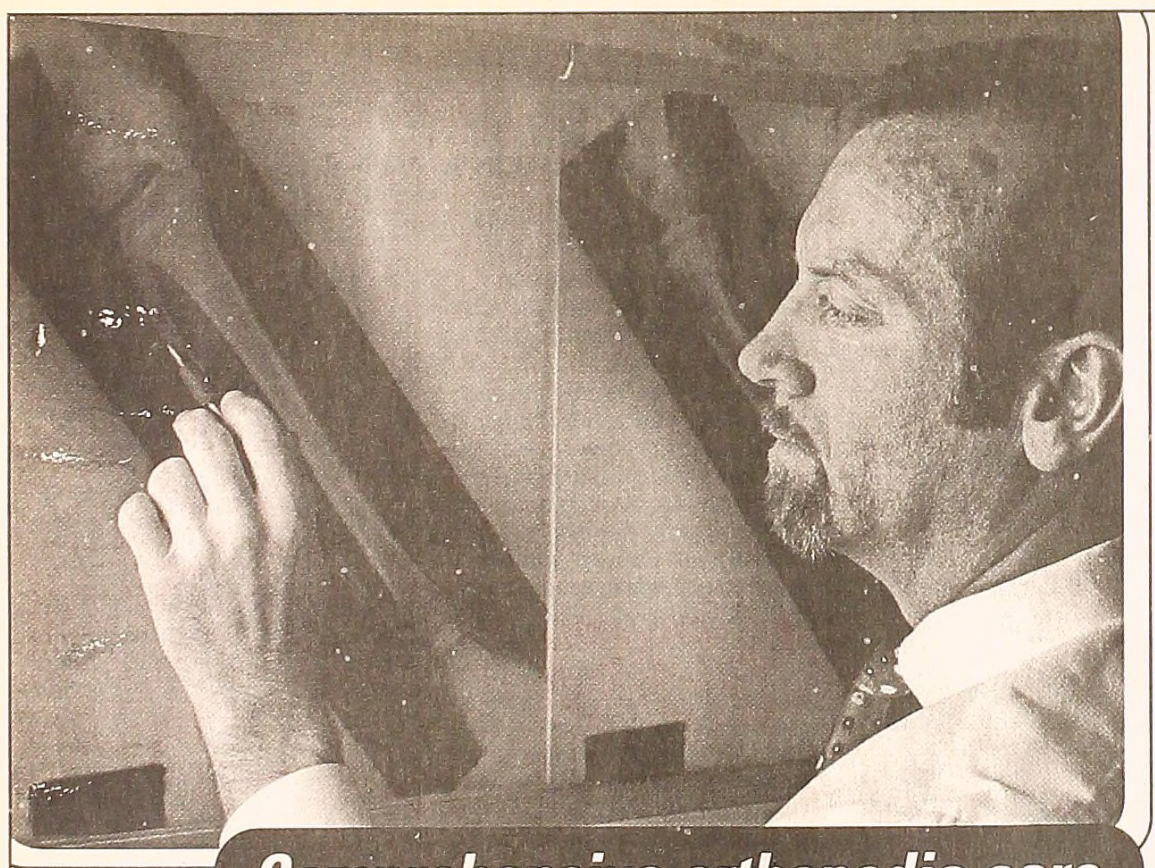

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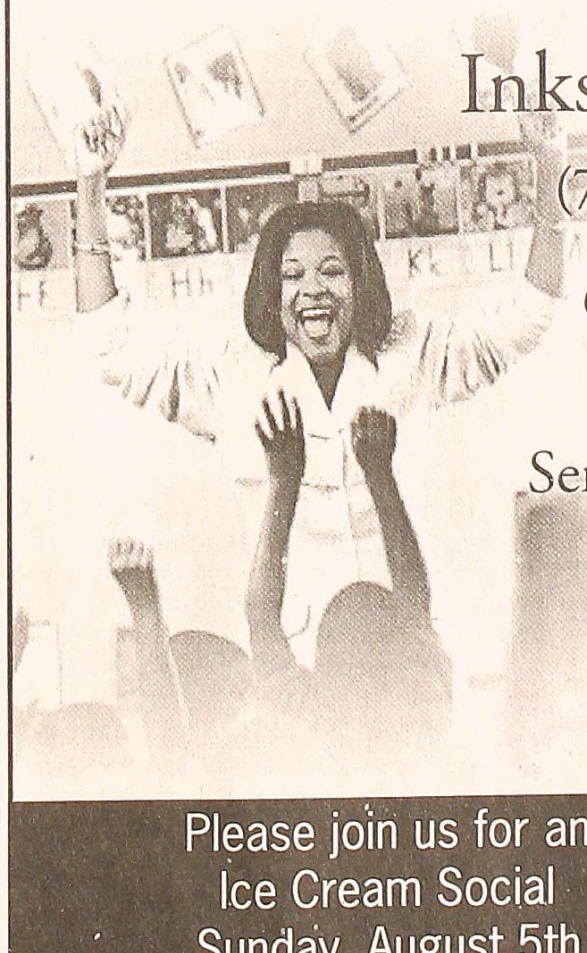

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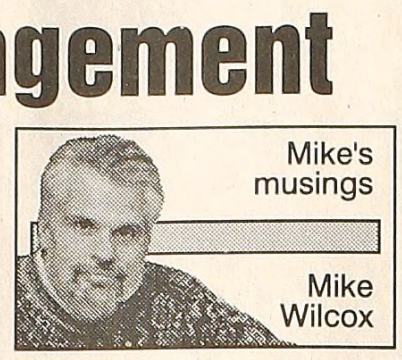
Opinion

Noise funds pulled because of county mismanagement


Mike's musings
Mike Wilcox

Residents of Romulus continue to get the short end of the stick. If it's not environmental concerns like deepwells or toxic chemicals, it is a myriad of problems that come with living next to one of the world's busiest airports.

Of course, for many, the airport means continual noise — earsplitting noise created by jumbo jets flying overhead. And residents who expect the noise to dissipate are foolhardy, because when the new Northwest terminal opens, the number of flights in and out of Metro will increase drastically.

Knowing this you would think Wayne County would be doing everything possible to insure its neighbors- the citizens of Romulus, Van Buren and Huron Township, a better quality of life. Instead, the one program that was suppose to help neighbors soundproof their homes has now been suspended.

That's right. An investigative report in Sunday's Free Press and News, claims the federal government has pulled the plug on a multi-million dollar soundproofing program, citing major concerns about Wayne County's oversight and shoddy workmanship.

About 2,500 homes in Romulus, Huron and Taylor are eligible for the program. The funding, of which 80% comes from the FAA, was to pay for home improvements like windows, doors, insulation, heating and air conditioning. Since 1992, $54 million dollars has been spent, but if you ask residents in Romulus, few know of any friends or neighbors who have taken advantage of the home improvement funding.

In fact, many locals might be happy to see the feds use their money elsewhere, because in Romulus it has been used to purchase land, and condemn property so that the airport can expand further. Those that have utilized the home improvement services, generally report, that contractor's perform substandard work and take forever to finish.

The list of program abuses are endless. Here are a few:

-Several dozen air conditioning units targeted for eligible homes are missing.

-Contractors continually missed appointments with homeowners.

-Some homeowners claim it took three years for contractors to finish their home improvements.

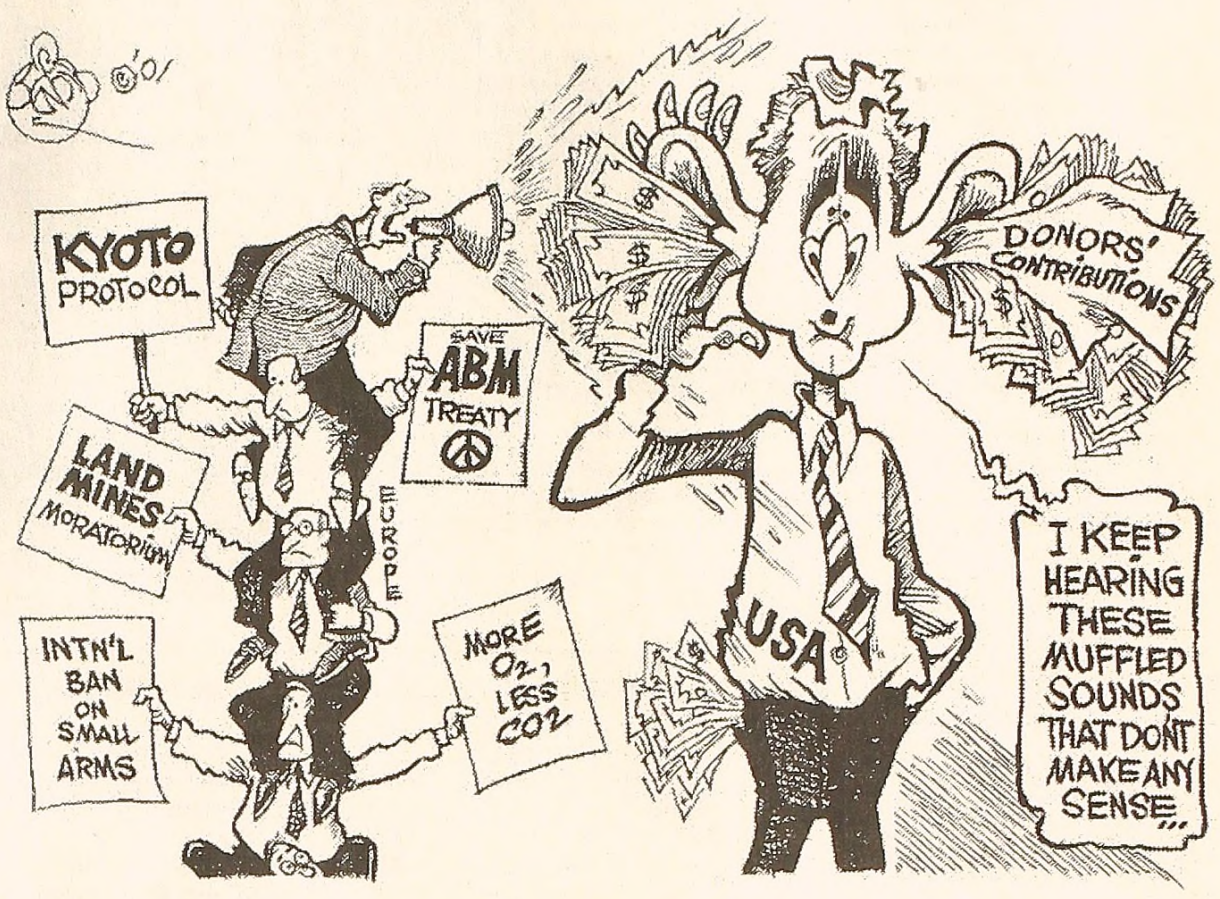
-A lack of competitive bidding.

-A contractor was paid $500 per phone call to set-up appointments.

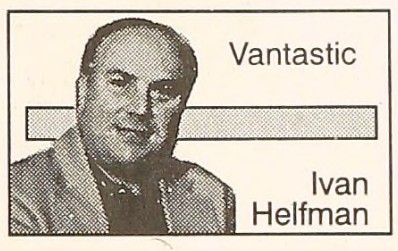
The County has been ordered by the feds to hire a Massachusetts firm to check the quality of work performed on 400 homes that were supposed to have been completed years ago. Additionally Wayne County Auditor General Brendan Dunleavy is revising a report he had planned to submit, due to new findings by the Federal Department of Transportation.

Obviously, the situation is a mess. The County, instead of providing relief for homeowners around the airport has managed to throw away $54 million on mismanagement and condemnation.

The feds ought to give that money to the Romulus, Huron and Taylor directly, and let them put it to good use.



Homeowner throws a Hail Mary


Vantastic
Ivan Helfman

Great Caesar's ghost! Canton and ancient Rome are almost as alike as Romulus and Remus.

Starting with the roads. Not only do all roads lead to Canton, but Ford Road seems to have borrowed the ancient chariot congestion.

Then there's the archery. If I read my history well, Hannibal would have given all of his elephants for Rome's archers at the battle of Zama. Those archers, of course, were the equal of the bowmen and women at this week's National Target Championships at Heritage Park.

Or take tolerance of religious art. Neither Decius nor Diocletian could teach anything about intolerance for Christian art to the Canton's Stratford Park Homeowners Association.

Not after the Association hired an attorney to sue neighbor Jamal Saba for daring to place a lawn ornament — a plaster Virgin Mary in a trellis — in the front yard of his handsome brown brick home in June.

Saba had moved into his $500,000 Stratford Park house, near Beck and Warren roads, in April.

The lawn ornament, a colorful celebration of Saba's religious values, was greeted with as much outrage as if it were a black lawn jockey.

Or course, the plaster Virgin been would not have been well received in second and third centuries Rome. During that time, emperors like Decius nor Diocletian fattened their lions on Christians.

Because no Christian artists wished to end their lives as lion poop, they created their works in catacombs, where the first images of the Virgin Mary appeared.

At first, these works — many of them now priceless museum pieces — rubbed good Romans the wrong way. When Roman emperors were pagans, discovery of a contraband Virgin Mary could result in a crucifixion.

While the same discovery in the Stratford Park subdivision would be treated no more tolerantly, it would not be treated as brutally. Given our court system, it will be handled more expensively.

According to Stratford Park's deed restrictions, any homeowner foolish enough to display Christian art can be sued and forced to take it down.

Having witnessed similar suits over basketball backboards in subdivisions taken to the US Supreme Court, I know that legal fees in contested deed restriction cases can exceed $100,000.

But such is life in Canton, a fun-house mirror version of life in ancient Rome.

However, there's a plus side to the story: things can change, as they did, over time, in Rome.

Not long after Diocletian reign ended, Romans began tolerating Christian art.

After the new emperor, Constantine, became a Christian, the Virgin Mary art came out of the catacombs and into the churches.

Good thing, for Christian art, like Christianity, not only out-lasted the Roman Empire, it fueled a vigorous civilization across Medieval Western and Central Europe.

Gone were the Roman cities with their earthbound gardens, markets, and bathhouses. In their place, Christian Medieval towns of Europe reached for the heavens with extended peaked roofs projecting from massive masonry buildings — a style now in vogue in the Stratford Park subdivision, a development of mostly neo-Gothic homes on gently curving streets.

But there the similarities end.

The Medieval town was Gothic, not neo-Gothic. Monks, jugglers, and fishwives strolled through the town. Unlike their country cousins who were most likely peasants at the mercy of noblemen, Medieval townies were free. None had to answer to a homeowners association. None were dependent on driving a chariot on a congested Roman road. None needed bread or circuses or gladiator fights to be happy.

Instead, their lives revolved around the church. Living at the skirt of a towering cathedral, a Medieval townie woke to the music of church bells. Rather than scream the curses of road rage, the townie softly prayed to his maker, bathed in light turned the color of a rainbow by the cathedral's stained glass while nuns chanted. High above, perhaps carved into flying buttresses or painted on the dome ceiling, were religious art.

In this faith-based world, religious art was as common as intolerance was rare (give or take a few thousand burned heretics — a tiny death toll by 20th century standards).

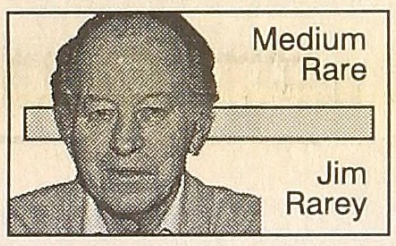
While this tolerant world did not last forever, it had a 1,200-year run, from the 4th to the 16th century. It took five centuries of humanism and religious wars to bring us to the intolerant Age of Politically Correctness.

In this age, Saba will undoubtable be thrown to the lawyers for expressing his religious faith in a lawn ornament.

How dare he distract the neighbors — even so slightly — from Oprah and Jerry and Howard Stern? From rap music, dinosaur movies, and the World Wrestling Federation?

No way. Unless Saba can find a good catacomb in the Sauk Hill landfill to place his Hail Mary lawn ornament, there will be damages to pay. Otherwise, he might as well take down his statue of the Madonna and put up a poster of Madonna.

McNamara plays noisy politics


Medium Rare
Jim Rarey

Several weeks ago in this column, this writer urged the City of Romulus to take steps to insure that the federal share of proceeds of the sale and lease of Pinnacle properties acquired with noise abatement money be put back into the noise abatement program.

A draft resolution was presented to the council essentially asking the county to keep accurate records on those properties and follow FAA requirements that 80% of the estimated $25 million go back to the noise abatement program. The county had said it only planned to reimburse the program for about $7 million.

The resolution was referred to the city attorney and buried. Apparently no one wants to "offend" Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara.

However, in view of the revelations in last Sunday's Detroit News, leaving that money in the hands of the county doesn't sound like such a good idea after all.

According to the News, federal funding of the program has been suspended as a result of an audit by the Inspector General (IG) of the U.S. Department of Transportation. Findings were made of waste, abuse, mismanagement, cronyism and possible conflicts of interest and fraud. These kinds of allegations are not new to airport and county managers.

A state investigation has made much the same assertions involving contracts with concessionaires at the airport. County officials had dismissed them as "politically motivated."

According to the News, the Wayne County Auditor has delayed release of the report of his own investigation to "revise" it to include "new" findings by the feds and a consulting firm.

It would be interesting to see if his original report would have been a whitewash.

This writer interviewed one family whose situation exemplifies some of the mismanagement of the program. The county spent between $20 and 25 thousand dollars soundproofing the house and then turned around and condemned it for the Pinnacle project.

Wayne County Commissioners have to take much of the blame for the state of affairs in the executive branch. Its "code of ethics" is a joke, particularly with regards to conflicts of interest. Guidelines for letting of contracts, until recently, were so loosely worded as to be meaningless and unenforceable.

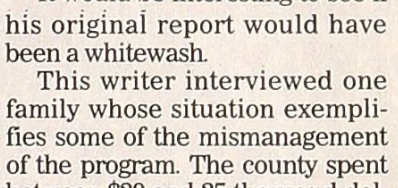
Of course, the political reality in Wayne County (outside of Detroit) is that no politician wants to get on the wrong side of Ed McNamara. He has assembled a powerful political machine and it is not likely that any local politician in his area of influence could get elected (or reelected) against his active opposition.

This probably explains why outrage after outrage is disclosed about county operations with little or no public criticism from local politicians. As a consequence, ordinary citizens are getting the short end of the stick, not only in the noise abatement program but also in having their property confiscated by dubious condemnations and insultingly low compensation. (City government could do something about that, but that's the subject for another column.)

There was a time when a politician said I would rather be right than president. Perhaps, but hopefully not, those days are long past. Too often now, election or re-election takes precedence over honor and personal integrity.

As for the noise abatement money, perhaps the City of Romulus should go to court (a familiar place for it recently) and get an injunction requiring the county to put the disputed money in an escrow account until it cleans up its act.

Who will protect our privacy from electronic snooping?


Guest Column
Glenn S. Anderson

More than one hundred years ago, Supreme Court Justice Louis Brandeis defined privacy as "the right to be let alone," which he said was one of the rights most valued by Americans.

However, Justice Brandeis' vision of being "let alone" no longer meets the requirements to define the concept of privacy in today's "Information Age." Today, personal information has become a highly valued product that is bought and sold in ways never before imagined. Personal information like medical records and financial histories once viewed as under a person's exclusive control, can now be collected and distributed all over the world in seconds.

As co-chair of the House Democratic Task Force on Privacy Issues, I feel very strongly that citizens shouldn't have to worry about their personal information being bought and sold to the highest bidder. My Democratic colleagues and I believe that the rights of citizens and their families should come first and that they should have the power to keep their private information out of the hands of marketing firms and big corporations.

Recently, the Governor signed a bill some claimed would protect personal financial information by prohibiting insurers from disclosing a consumer's nonpublic personal financial information to a third party unless the consumer had an opportunity to "opt out" of the disclosure. "Opt out" means that people would receive privacy policies in the mail that they would have to read, sign, and then send back.

Instead of requiring consumers to respond if they wished to "opt out," I introduced an "opt in" alternative that called for a system where insurance companies would be prohibited from sharing personal financial information with other parties unless the consumer was asked and then consented to having their information shared. My legislation would have put the consumer first. Unfortunately, the bill did not pass.

Like financial information, personal medical information also should remain private. Michigan residents have little control over insurance companies, employers or others who have access to their medical records. Medical records contain the most personal and private information about someone and when that information is shared without a person's knowledge or consent, that is a serious invasion of privacy. That's why I support legislation that would establish a right to privacy and a right to access one's own medical information for all Michigan residents.

The legislation would ensure that health care information is kept confidential and undisclosed by health care providers, health information custodians and insurance companies without the written consent of the patient. This legislation would give Michigan residents the strongest privacy protection. It closes loopholes in federal rules and protects Michigan residents from fraud, deception, harassment, discrimination, and inappropriate marketing.

When people provide information to a doctor, a merchant, or a bank, they expect that those professionals/companies will base the information collected on the service and use it for the sole purpose of providing the service requested. Unfortunately, current practices undermine this expectation of privacy. It is my hope that my legislative colleagues and I will be able to come up with strong bipartisan legislation that will protect Michigan citizens and guarantee their right to privacy.

(Rep. Anderson is serving his first term in the Michigan House of Representatives.)

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LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Former candidate to remain active

To the editor:

I want to thank everyone who signed my petitions and to give my regrets that I had to drop out of the running for the unexpired two-year term for council.

Due to my own health and that of another family member, it wouldn't be fair to the citizens of this community if I couldn't give it my all, if by chance I happened to win a seat.

I do hope that everyone who can vote gets out to vote and register if you aren't already. There's plenty of time for the general election. The two-year seats will only be in the general election but the four-year and the mayoral races will be in the primary.

Each and everyone of us should check each candidate carefully. Some have been very vocal and others not so vocal this does not make them good or bad candidates.

I've found some who yell the loudest aren't always the most truthful or sincere. Others sit back and listen and observe until the time is right and the facts are known.

So read up on the candidates and watch the council meetings if you can't attend. Everyone who can go to the open meetings to meet the candidates. I know there will be one at the Wayne-Ford Civic league. Some of the questions and answers and candidate profiles are in the local paper as elections approach.

My personal preferences are Bill Fern and Bob Stottlemeyer for two-year council; Cheryl Graunstadt and Normie Brazier for the four-year council seats; and Richard LeBlanc for mayor.

I'm still considering on the other four-year seats.

I think one way to help me decide is to check the guest list at fund-raisers and lists of contributors for campaign funding.

Name recognition has caused the city of Westland, and I'm sure many other cities, nothing but trouble.

At a recent council meeting, one councilman stated that the person being re-appointed for planning board had been on the planning board a long time. Longevity has caused this city the turmoil and uproar that started about two years ago, not the so-called recall group.

Regardless of what some like to make you believe, this city has gone back to being reasonable and civil, it just hasn't gone back to sleep.

That's what these people who use terms like "I'll bring back peace and serenity to the community" are really saying. And they also mean: go back to sleep, citizens.

There are a few people who have been active in trying to awaken this city for years. People like Marion Greenfield, Jim Davis, Cheryl Graunstadt, Dorothy Smith, Mildred Evans, and the Beckers.

You don't have to agree with them all the time or even their methods of conveying the facts, but each has said a lot of truth in a lot of years. Hopefully, we'll all keep listening and deciding for ourselves.

Although I am unable to run for council, I intend to keep active and will keep attending the meetings and voicing my concerns, praise, and hopefully only a few disappointments with the council.

Just remember to vote in September. It's a primary but it's as important (if not more so) as the general election in November.

Thank you,
Judy McKinney

Don't tell me to save water

To the editor:

I hate to see changes in the Westland City Council, as I believe we have a good one, though I know changes have to be made. I hope it will be another good one.

On another note, I really get upset when the city tells us to save water. I was brought up to save it and I brought up my family to do so. My one son has a well, put in even as expensive as it was. Why am I upset? Weil I'll tell you. When I'm going down the streets and see the water wasted every day as the owners of the property are watering the street. Half the water goes out into the street. Sharon Scott mentioned, at a meeting when cleaning out teeth and showering, to turn the water off and on, not keep running the water. I've complained to the Water Department. No good was done about it.

On another note, I hope those running for office will keep it clean. It can be done as we've seen with Mayor Thomas, Richard LeBlanc and a few others did. No need for trashing people. Glenn Anderson also did it.

Sincerely, one who's interested in the city. It became a city on my birthday, so it's extra special.

Sincerely,
Betty Savage

Festival passes Todd test

To the editor:

Hi everyone,

To start, there is a little something that troubles me. Recently, while watering my flower and vegetable garden, there was a man who approached me to sign a petition to get him started on his own personal road to securing a council seat. Someone totally new to me.

I replied, "But, I don't know you."

To which he replied, "But, this is just a petition."

I politely told him that if he would simply leave some literature about himself on our front patio, I would surely look it over and later let him know whether or not I would sign his petition.

He said, "Okay," but still he left nothing.

This is what disturbs me — that we are just supposed to sign anything about anyone just because they ask us to. And, we are not even supposed to wonder about a man who doesn't fulfill a simple promise about leaving literature. Nothing fancy. Just simple literature.

It also bothers me that he used the word just, as in just a petition, as if this was a little ol' nothing piece of paper.

There is no such thing as just a petition. If it was so insignificant and worthless, then signatures, also would be of no value. Does anyone else have something to say about this?

Also, if I were casting a vote for anyone not currently serving on the council, my first choice would be for Normie Brazier because she has always been, first of all, a true lady.

She is also a quiet, hard-working woman whose goal is to unite people through worthy causes, as we have all observed for some time. Her latest stuff at the Summer Festival was great! She works with the handicapped, the Relay for Life, the police, etc. Again, good goin', Normie.

Moving along, I recently sent an apology to the papers about getting it wrong about who won and who lost the spaghetti dinner bet. I wanted for the council to know that I apologized for getting my facts wrong. Angela can admit when she has been wrong. So, council, again, please accept my apology. I really screwed up! I should have gathered my facts from another more reliable source.

Back to the Westland Summer Festival. The kid with the golden voice full of emotion, the Reflections, Doug Church as Elvis, Ben E. Jet, and others were all so great!

Oh, and Benny, even though it was only one quick gentle tug of the beard, this forward behavior is not typical of the way I usually introduce myself to someone for the first time, but, I did ask you for permission. Thanks for humoring me. You're one sweet guy. And, your group's music was just what the doctor ordered. Also, thanks for your brief, but very kind words about me in your column.

Only one thing bothered me about the festival. As Curt and I finished dancing and we were leaving to go to Kroger, followed by the fireworks, Benny said, "Let's hear it for Curt and Angie." That part was great. But, as we passed in front of the daughter of someone well-known in town as a trouble-maker, she pulled the giant slurpy-like drink away from her frothing mouth, smiled at her girlfriend, tossed her rolling head back, and, in front of everyone around, let out the most loud, long, raucous, Goliath-like. vulgar display of near-diabolic laughter that I have heard in a very long time, all directed solely at me.

This she-demon creature really frightened me. I swear I was waiting for pea soup to spew forth from her swiveling head, even though I had done nothing to her. I have never even talked to her.

I pretended not to be hurt and quietly bicycled by with Curt, leaving this poor unfortunate girl to endure the puzzled stares of all those who witnessed her bizarre behavior. That girl's family should be helping their very unfortunate daughter instead of letting her inflict the pain of her obviously-troubled inner self upon others. I feel sure that this girl must view me as only one more link in her own personal chain of pain, whenever she has some reason, known only to her, to lash out and hurt.

Other than that poor girl, we enjoyed the rest of the festival, deemed to be a huge and wonderful success, in my opinion, when compared to those festivals in past years. The fireworks have improved 100 percent compared to only two years ago. Strive for even more improvements NEXT year.

A suggestion — less drinking, less sitting, less pie-eating, and even more dancing. And, perhaps build a regular semi-slick dance floor. It is hard to swivel on dangerous cracked and pitted concrete or whatever that is. Also, build incentives to dance by offering prizes (not food) for best dancers. Way to go, everyone.

Rest of letter cut for lack of space in print edition. Todd fans can read the conclusion on-line along with some Sound Offs that we could not fit in this week — Ed.

See ya,
Angela Frances Todd
Westland

Marcum, Silcox, praised

To Whom It May Concern:

I have had a lot of phone calls and comments on my interview in the July 26 Observer [praising Lori Brist's job as Friendship Center director].

To all who took it the wrong way, I apologize.

My statement should have been: had it not been for the experience and helpfulness of Barbara Schimmel-Marcum and Doris Silcox, the Friendship Center would not be running as smoothly as it is.

I would also like to add, even though there is no outward campaigning going on at the center, we all know that there is behind the scenes campaigning and we all know who is doing it.

We would like it to stop immediately, if not sooner.

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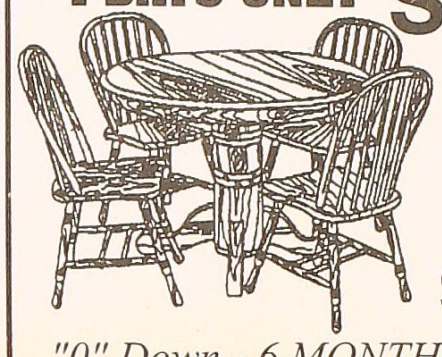
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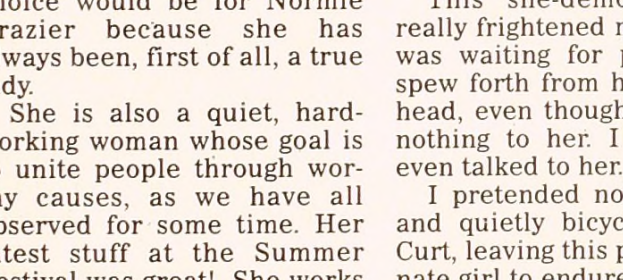
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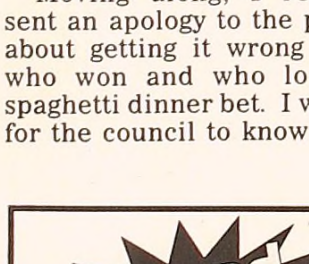

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Old golf foes meet one more time

City championships are on the tees

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Can Chris Tompkins repeat?

That question will be answered over the weekend when the field of hopefuls gather for the 2001 City Championship Golf Tournament at Gateway Golf Club.

Tompkins, a former Westland John Glenn High School star, surprised a veteran field of amateur golfers a year ago to win the summer classic by a stroke. The champ shot 144 for the 36-hole tournament and edged runner-up, Keith Kiesznowski, for tournament medalist honors.

Three strokes back was three-time champ, Mark Morton, also from Westland, who finished third in a field that he had dominated over recent years.

All three golfers, and more than 50 others, will be playing for city titles on Saturday when the first round of the championships are staged. The finals will be held on Sunday.

Also returning to defend their city titles are Bob Selberg, whose 152 a year ago earned him the Canton Township crown, while the defending Women's Champion, Mary Allen, and the 1999 Woman's Champ, Virg King also are ready to swing it out.

"This year we are looking forward to playing at the new Gateway Golf Club," said Jeff Rutter, tournament director. "We have all of our top competitors back again this year, so we are looking forward to a very exciting tournament."

Although in the past there were no limits on the number of players who could compete, this year's field was limited to the first 65 golfers who signed up. Golfers who finish in the top five of the championship round may be invited by their cities to represent their city at the Michigan Parks and Reacreation's state finals.

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Jeff Rutter, Tourney Director

However, a golfer must be a resident of the city he represents.

This year's tournament features a "shot gun" start at 1:30 p.m.

Here are the holes and foursomes for the first-day of competition: Hole 1-A: Chris Tompkins (Westland), Bruce Abe (Open), Bob Selberg (Canton), Sky McBeth (Open); 1-B: Keith Kiesznowski (Wayne), Mark Morton (Westland), Bill Hawley (Wayne), Kevin Pollock (Open); 12-A Pat Rossi (Westland), Pat Kubus (Open), Virginia King (Open), Sandy Felan (Wayne); 13-A: Mary Allen (Wayne), Pat Henke (Wayne), Darlene Hawley (Wayne), Virg Sexton(Westland); 13-B: Renee Gibbons (Westland), Mary Lou Godden (Open), Frances Whitlark (Westland), Karen Hackney (Open); 14-A: Charles Kline (Wayne), Bill Martens (Open), Ken Lamb (Wayne), Kevin Beevers (Wayne); 14-B: John Sobczak (Open), Paul Davis (Open), George Paul (Open) and Dan Boyd (Westland).

Starting at Hole 15-A: Tom Gibbons (Westland), Ted Gooden (Open), Kevin Steeland (Open), Ed Wolfe (Open); 15-B: Jim Regulski (Westland), Mark Newman (Wayne), Keith Johnson (Westland), Todd Bruning (Westland); 16-A: Rick Stoner (Wayne), Doug Tompkins (Wayne), Steven Bullock (Canton), Michael McKee (Wayne); 16-B: Terry Castillo (Westland), Craig Tripp (Canton), Ivan Jimenez (Wayne), Greg Baracy (Wayne); 17-A: John Fargo (Westland), Ray Lanczki (Westland), Tim Phillips (Westland), Steve Berry; 17-B: Ken Eck (Canton), Michael Hutchens (Canton), Woody Breish (Canton), John Gabossi (Canton); 18-A: Eric Spencer (Canton), Rick Morga (Open), Keith Arai (Westland), Eric Stover (Canton) and 18-B: Al Spencer (Westland), Kevin Baracy (Westland), Ted Salvadori (Wayne) and Mark Scott (Wayne).

Robinson takes the heat and the cup

Tristan Lester watches as his ball sails into orbit during the Michigan Cup tournament.

Steve Robinson is rapidly making his presence felt as one of the top young golfers in Western Wayne County.

The slender high school star from Livonia carded a 40-36-76 at Woodlands of Van Buren to win by three strokes in The Michigan Cup Junior Golf Association Red Tour event.

Robinson was as hot as the muggy weather in battling 94-degree temperatures and 21 other golfers over the tricky, par 35-36-71 layout to win his second victory in the last four tourneys.

"There's no doubt the hot, muggy weather took a real toll on the young players, but they hung in there and played some excellent golf," said Jeff Bradley, supervisor of The Michigan Cup Junior Golf Association.

"There are a lot of good high school and middle school-age golfers in this entire area and we are happy that many of them are playing on The Michigan Cup's Red and Blue Tours."

After struggling to a 5-over-par 40 on the Woodlands' front nine, Robinson kicked it into high gear at the turn. He carded birdies at 12 and 14 to offset bogeys at 13 and 15 and parred the five other holes for an even-par 36 on the back side and the 3-stroke victory.

Good ball striking runs in the Robinson family. Steve's younger brother, Matthew, has also won twice on the middle school age Blue Tour sponsored by The Michigan Cup Junior Golf Association.

Runner-up Brian Hejka (39-40-79) probably lost his chance of winning when he

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Twisters blow Thunder away in opener, 48-0

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

The Twisters took the Thunder out of Ohio and silenced their first opponent of the 2001 campaign, 48-0.

It was a great victory for first-year Twister coach, William R. Brown, whose debut at Willow Run's Devlin Stadium was an auspicious one.

"He's (coach Brown) not only an excellent coach, but a person who our players can identify with," said J. Glenn Brothers, General Manager of the Twisters. "It was an excellent way to start the season."

From the opening kickoff to the final whistle, it was the Twisters all the way. They put up 21 points on the scoreboard in the first quarter and added points in each of the following stanzas.

The Twisters' offense crossed their opponents' goal line on five occasions, and the defense came through with a 57-yard punt return in the fourth quarter that resulted in Don Hamilton's first touchdown of the season.

To add insult to injury, Jason Gibson brought some 350 fans to their feet as he broke free of the porous Thunder defense and raced 58 yards behind great downfield blocking for his third touchdown of the evening.

In all, Gibson amassed 144 yards on 17 attempts to lead the Twister offense.

Twister quarterback Rob Elswick was on target with seven of his 10 passes for 110 yards. He managed to hook up with "Little Twister", All-League end, Reggie Brandon, for a 42-yard TD strike.

Brandon, a former Wayne Memorial star, caught three passes for 78 yards.

Elswick also posted his first touchdown of the season as he raced into the Thunder end zone from two yards out.

On the kicking side of the game, Chuck Petitpas had a perfect night splitting the uprights on all six attempts and was also two-for-two on field goals from ranges of 27 and 32 yards out.

Brown's defense is greatly improved over a year ago. The Thunder's offense was held to 59 total yards on 39 plays from the line of scrimmage. The Twisters' secondary was tested 14 times and only four passes were completed for a grand total of 28 yards.

In the rushing category, the Thunder also was shut down. Their ball carriers were held to a net 29 yards on 25 attempts, forcing them to punt on seven occasions.

"This is the 15th consecutive game our defense has held our opponents to 120 or less yards," commented Brothers. "Needless to say, our defense has not loss a step in their quickness and their ability to frustrate their opponents."

Brothers pointed out that the ball club's secondary has been bolstered with the influx of some blue chip rookies, such as, Dorian Bow and Trevor Hayward, along with Steve Hohl, Tim Simons, Lonnye Bryant, and Shaun Baylis.

Other notable rookies on the Twister roster this season are: DeVaughn Smith, Monte Thomas, Ryan Trentman, Matt Walline and Toby Powell.

"All have seen playing time and have demonstrated the exceptional talents to play at the minor-pro level," said Brothers. "They have the desire and the ability to replace a number of our currrently senior franchise players."

The Michigan Twisters will be on the road for the first time this season as they trek to the downriver community of River Rouge where they clash with the always dangerous Motor City Cougars on Aug. 4 on the Rouge High School gridiron.

The afternoon duel is scheduled for 3:30 p.m. and the winner of this contest could emerge as the team to beat in the semi-pro football league this season.

Belleville All-Stars fall victory short of state title

The Belleville Junior All-Stars met District 4 team Rochester Hills in a best of three series for the Sectional title.

Belleville Junior All-Stars came within a victory of winning the coveted state baseball championship for 13 and 14 year olds last week.

Manager Rick Rider's ball club dropped a heartbreaking 5-4 decision to Taylor Northwest in the semifinals and also fell to Huron Shores, 7-2, to bring the curtains down on what was an overall successful season.

Belleville launched its playoff bid with three straight "mercy" victories in District 3. They crushed Sand Creek, 19-1, then buried Tecumseh, 34-1, and outplayed Morenci, 12-1, as the Belleville pitching staff made up of Ricky Rider, Brad Sullens and Chris Watson stood out.

Behind Rider's sterling pitching performance, Belleville dropped Blissfield into the elimination bracket, 8-6. But Blissfield resurfaced from their bracket, to challenge Belleville for the District 3 championship.

Blissfield handed the local All-Stars their first setback, 11-6, forcing a doubleheader on the final day of the District 3 championship.

Belleville managed to regroup and rallied to avenge the loss to Blissfield, 12-2, in a six-inning "mercy" game. The victory qualified Belleville for the Sectional Tournament.

The Belleville Junior All-Stars met District 4 team Rochester Hills in a best of three series for the Sectionals title, and Belleville won the opener as Rider scattered three hits in a five-inning, 10-0, game called because of the mercy rule.

Jacob Laginess and Rider led the team at the plate. Each drilled two hits. Also contributing their share of hits were Joey Caudill, John Lloyd, Jeff Jablonski, Billy Doyle and Matt Deane.

In the second game, Rochester drew first blood and led the All-Stars 6-3 after two innings. But Belleville came back, again behind Rider, and chalked up a cliffhanging 9-7 decision.

Matt Deane hammered two hits and Caudill, Rider, Laginess and Tommy Stubbe, along with Doyle, each chipped in one hit.

The elated Stars packed up their bags and headed for West Branch and the State Finals.

In their playoff opener, Belleville took on an excellent Taylor Northwest ball club which struck for three runs in the opening frame. Taylor then was shut out for the next four innings thanks to outstanding defense provided by Brett Brice, Rider and Brad Sullens, along with an outstanding performance on the mound by Rider.

Belleville struck back with two runs in their third as Deane, Chris Watson and Rider came through with key hits.

However, Taylor erupted for a run in the sixth and led the Stars, 4-2, before Belleville rallied in the top of the seventh to tie the game at 4-all.

In the bottom of the seventh, Taylor put Belleville away, 5-4.

Huron Shores, representing District 8, cashed in on two hits for two runs and went on to beat the All-Stars in a season-ending finale, 7-3.

Manager Rick Rider, and coaches Brian Brice and Tom Deane, were pleased with the overall performances of their team. They praised their team members and the parents who supported the ball club.

The Belleville Junior All-Stars ended their successful baseball season in West Branch where they played for the state championship. Members of the team included Ricky Rider, Jr., (front row, from left), Jacob Laginess, Brett Brice, Joey Caudill, Brad Sullens, and Matt Deane; second row are All-Star Manager Rick Rider, John Lloyd, Jeff Jablonski, Billy Doyle, Chris Watson, Tom Stubbe, Coach Tom Deane, Ryan Rider, and Coach Brian Brice.

Canton golfers in thick of Michigan Cup title race

Nathan Perkovich and Kyle Kosmyna, both of Canton Township, are in the midst of the battle for the inaugural season point-championship in the high school division of The Michigan Cup Junior Golf Association (MCJGA).

Perkovich is sixth with 440 points and Kosmyna has earned 430 for a seventh-place ranking behind leader, Jason Adkins, who has 620.

Players on the Red Tour (high-school age) and the Blue Tour (middle school) earn points for each tournament they enter and where they finish, along with points for pars, birdies and eagles.

Adkins, who has played in six of the eight MCJGA tournaments this summer, has won once on the Red Tour and holds a 135-point lead over Steven Robinson (585 points).

A two-time winner this season, Robinson has played in four tournaments.

Joshua Frison, a six-time participant, is third with 565 points and Chris Dujovski has earned 540 points in five events to hold fourth spot.

Joseph Gagnon acquired 510 points in six tourneys for fifth place.

In third spot is Canton's Ross Gerulis with 405 points.

Brian Hejka's 420 points in four events puts him eighth - just 20 ahead of Tristan Lester, who has won both Red Tour events he has entered. Lester's seven birdies this season leads the MCJGA in that category.

Canton's Brandon Scero is next with 385 points in four rounds, followed by David Lughermo, 370; Eddie Bellamy, 350; Josh Castmore (winner of both events he entered), 335; John Wloch, 335; Phil Liddle, 330; Joe Pomorski, 325; Kyle Przydzial, 325; Plymouth's Daryl South. 310; and Mike Ebel, 305.

Thirty-two players - the top three finishers in each of grades 9-through-12, plus the next 20 players with the highest point totals — will qualify for the 36-hole Red Tour Championship slated for Taylor Meadows Golf Course on Aug. 20-21.

Meanwhile, Plymouth's Zach Smith has won four of the eight middle school-age Blue Tour Events to amass 690 points for a big lead in that group.

Playing in five tourneys, Smith leads in the number of birdies with five and is far ahead of Tyler Jeleniewski of Plymouth who is ranked second with 430 points in five events.

In third spot is Canton's Ross Gerulis with 405 points, much of that total gained when he won the opening Blue Tour Event at Fellows Creek on June 21.

Belleville's Chris Duffy, a five-time participant, has a pair of birdies to help his total reach 355 points, good for a fourth-place tie with Matt Robinson, a two-time winner on the Blue Tour.

Others who remain in the chase include: Tyler Staber, Canton Township, 245; Ben Underwood, Canton, 235; Sean VanLoozen, Plymouth, 230; Derek Schmitt, Canton, 205; Nick Taggie, Plymouth, 170; Mark Davenport, Belleville, 160; and Derek Moos, 160.

All 18 players in the Blue Division are eligible to play in the 18-hole championship round scheduled for Aug. 20 at Taylor Meadows Golf Course.

'The MVP'

Slugger Mark Matchulat, who was one of the mainstays behind Metro Glass's successful drive to win the Silver Anniversary title of the Leonard Anderson Memorial Softball Championship, also walked away with the MVP - Most Valuable Player - honors last week.

Romulus seeking softball teams

Romulus recreation officials are preparing for the fall softball league season and are looking for teams to complete their leagues.

Officials announced registration for the fall leagues began last week.

There are at least three leagues available to managers: a six-team, with 10 games anticipated, Friday Men's Division. Registration fee is $325; and a Sunday Men's Division, with a total of 10 teams and nine games planned. To register, ball clubs must come up with a $325 entry fee.

Finally, recreation officials say they are also organizing a Tuesday Co-Ed Division with a maximum of six teams with 10 games planned.

Managers have until Aug. 17 to submit their intent to play, along with their registration fee. There will be an organizational meeting at the recreation complex on Aug. 21.

The Friday League Division will begin competition on Aug. 24; the Sunday League teams will take to the diamonds for the 2001 Fall season on Aug. 26.

Officials also stress the fees will include the balls, umpire and scorekeepers' fees, as well as the cost to maintain the diamonds.

Romulus Day tickets are still available

Matt Lucas, Eastern Michigan University's assistant athletic director, on Friday announced that there are still tickets available for the `Romulus Day'' program.

EMU will host Romulus football fans on the season's football opener, scheduled for Sept. 1 at the Ypsilanti-based university's stadium.

All Romulus students will receive fee admission to the 6 p.m. game against Southeast Missouri State, and anyone who accompanies them would pay only half-price or $5.50.

Lucas stressed corporate sponsors will pick up the tab for the free tickets that are offered to Romulus students.

"This event will provide a quality experience for Romulus students to visit the Eastern Michigan campus and fans will have an opportunity to cheer on some of their former football heroes."

EMU offered seven athletic scholarships to players from the 2000 Romulus lineup that went undefeated a year ago.

Antieau's 83 tops LSGL scores

Jan Antieau fired an 83 to claim a four-stroke victory over Wayne's Terry Deisler in the duel for the First Flight, Low Gross, honors in the Suburban Women's Golf League.

Deisler's 87 clinched second place in the weekly tournament staged on Saturday in Monroe.

In other action, Mary Gene Stefanac toured the course with a 70 to beat out Livonia's Jo McVicar for top honors. McVicar was three-strokes back in second.

The Low Net battle in the Second Flight of the SWGL ended in a dead heat as Carol McQuade, of Clinton Township, and Gwen Wyer, of Walled Lake, both carded 75s. One stroke behind was Jeanette Isenhour.

Dolly Vettese, who posted a 98, turned back Plymouth's Penny Irwin (101) to finish ahead of the pack in the Low Gross of the Second Flight.

Westland's Mary Cunningham shot a 72 to win an eight-stroke victory over Mary Ann Kraft and Jinny Valentine, who both finished with 80s in the Low Net race of the Third Flight.

Bernie Evans claimed first place in the Low Gross with a 99. Jan Nielson and Pat Wilson were tied for second.

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double-bogeyed 9 and 18 after approaching both those holes just two-over-par on each nine.

Jon Ebel (42-38-80), who was just a stroke back in third place, also had a pair of double-bogeys on his front nine 42, but a birdie and five pars catapulted him to a backside 38.

Jon's brother, Mike Ebel, who usually shoots the lowest scores off the siblings, had a solid 39 at the turn but rode the "Bogey Train" for eight consecutive holes and stumbled to a closing 42 to tie Canton's Nathan Perkovich for fourth place with 81's.

Perkovich had double-bogeys on each nine in his 41-40 round.

Josh Joseph of Wayne (43-39) started with four consecutive pars and added a back nine birdie but a double-and-triple bogey on 7 and 9 inflated his score to 82, tying Jason Adkins (43-39) and John Wloch (45-37) for sixth place.

Wloch's brilliant 37 was the second-lowest score on the back nine in the event.

Canton's Kyle Kosmyna (45-38), who fired a 77 for runner-up honors on the Red Tour last week, overcame three front nine double-bogeys with his scintillating 38 after the turn to tie for ninth with Plymouth's Daryl South (43-40) at 83.

Canton's Jennifer Schwan's consistent 42-44 — despite a trio of double-bogeys — earned her 11th spot with 86.

Rounding out the shooters in the 80's were a pair of Canton Township golfers: Joe Pomorski (40-47)-87) and Mike Cassidy (46-42-88).

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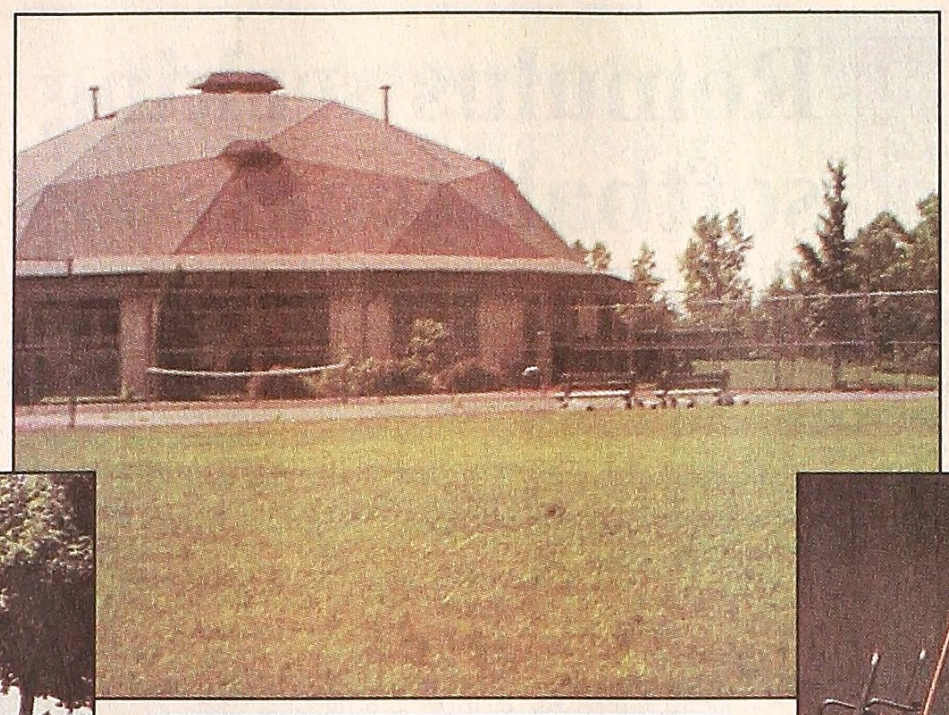

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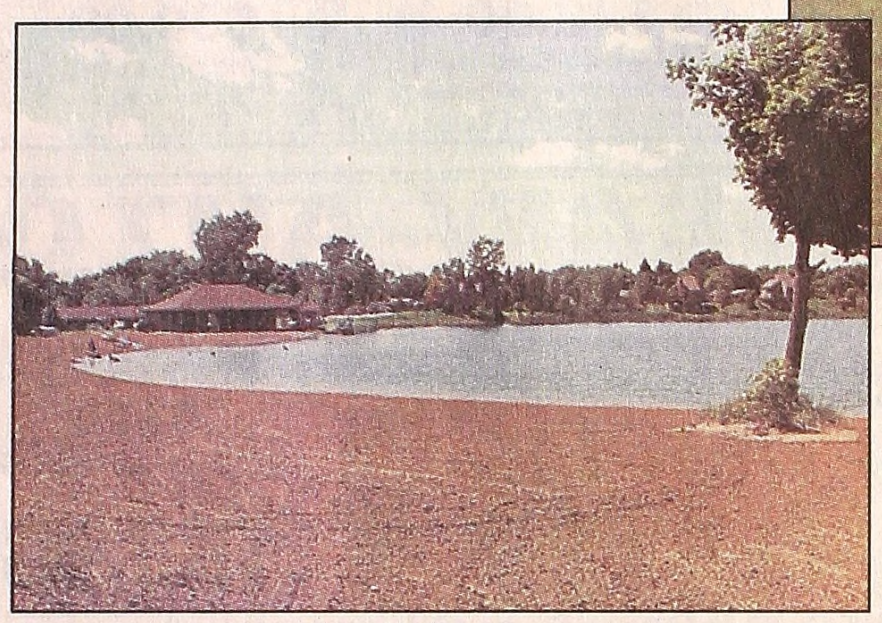

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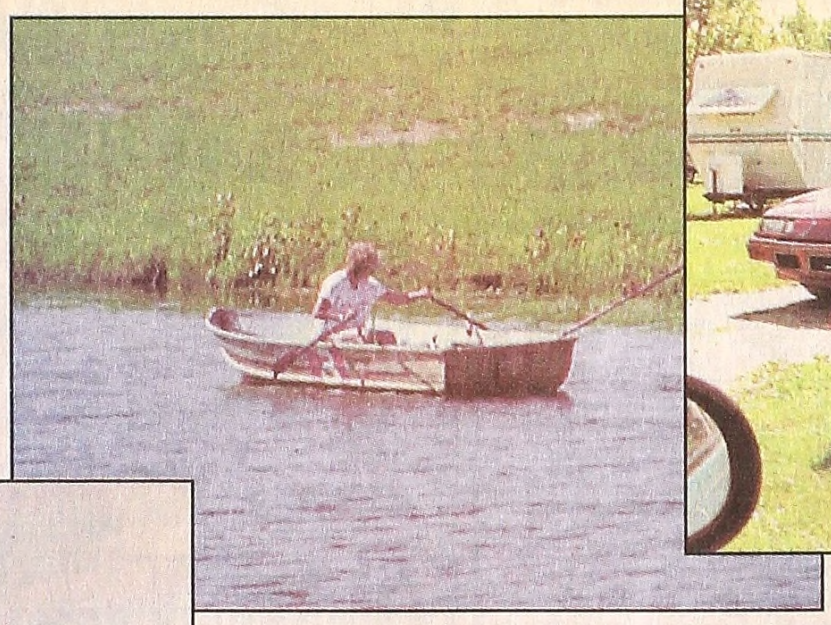

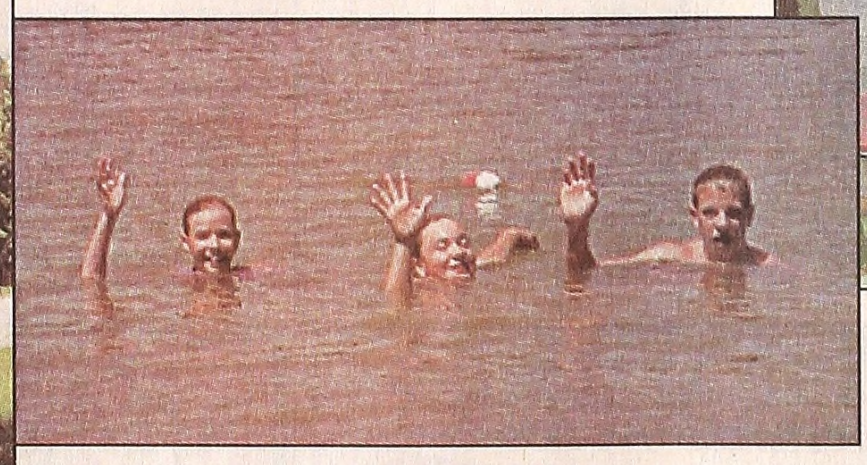

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6. Legal-Notices

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land described:

TAKE NOTICE: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deed or deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service and/or cost of publication of the notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action without additional cost or charge. If payment as described in this notice is not made, the undersigned with institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of the land:
State of Michigan, County of Wayne

CITY OF INKSTER, WOLVERINE TRACTOR SUB T2S R9E L38 P34 WCR 25U201 LOT 201.

PARCEL # 44010060201000

Amount Paid: $848,89
Deed #5026
Amount Due: $1273.34 PLUS SHERIFF AND PUBLICATION FEES
Tax for the year 1995.

Signed:
Ottaco Acceptance, Inc.
241 E. Saginaw Hwy.
East Lansing, MI 48823

To: Larry Hearn, Spouse of Larry Hearn, Timothy L. Lash, Spouse of Timothy L. Lash, Federation Mortgage Corporation, Charles Lash, Spouse of Charles Lash, Ellis Ben Joseph, Mina Ben Joseph, John Doe aka Occupant, Jane Doe aka Occupant, unascertained, undetermined, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land above described according to Wayne County Records.

This is an improved residential parcel.

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Description of the land:
State of Michigan, County of Wayne

CITY OF INKSTER, BURNS-VAN ALSTINE SUB T2S R93 L60 P70 WCR, 36B138 139A LOT 138 AND S 5 FT OF LOT 129 ALSO W 1/2 ADJ VAC ALLEY.

PARCEL # 44014020138000

Amount Paid: $1,015.82
Deed #5098
Amount Due: $1,523.73 PLUS SHERIFF AND PUBLICATION FEES
Tax for the year 1995.

Signed:
Ottaco Acceptance, Inc.
241 E. Saginaw Hwy.
East Lansing, MI 48823

To: Stephanie Morgan, Marguerite Williams Morgan, Elsie Williams Johnson, Dan Williams, Beatrice Williams, unascertained, undetermined, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land above described according to Wayne County Records.

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Description of the land:
State of Michigan, County of Wayne

CITY OF INKSTER, GRAND VIEW GARDENS SUB NO 1 T2S R9E L47 P45 WCR 23C520B 23C521A W 26FT OF LOT 520 AND THE E 23 FT OF LOT 521.

PARCEL # 44002010520002

Amount Paid: $2,125.64
Deed #5098
Amount Due: $3,188.46 PLUS SHERIFF AND PUBLICATION FEES
Tax for the year 1995.

Signed:
Ottaco Acceptance, Inc.
241 E. Saginaw Hwy.
East Lansing, MI 48823

To: Bankers Trust Co., Comerica, Quality Mortgage USA, Inc. - CA Corp., Sarah Malone, Home Window & construction Co., unascertained, undetermined, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land above described according to Wayne County Records.

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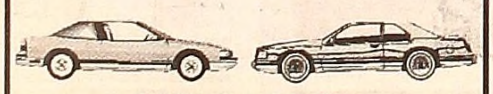
Publish: Aug. 2, 2001
Aug. 9, 2001
Aug. 16, 2001
Aug. 23, 2001

6. Legal Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on August 9, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. at **Mayflower Auto Transport**, 5760 Belleville Rd., Canton, MI, County of Wayne, a sale of the following vehicles will be held:

1988 Chevrolet Camaro	*1G1FP2188KL180277*	2 Dr.
1988 Mercury Cougar	*1MEBM604XJH614638*	2 Dr.
1983 Chevrolet S-10 Blazer	*1G8CT18B6D0166846*	S/W
1992 Honda Accord	*1HGCB7657NA123655*	4 Dr.
1990 Ford Festiva	*KNJPT06H6L6122508*	2 Dr.
1990 Oldsmobile Cutlass Calais	*1G3NF14D4LM7365505*	2 Dr.
1985 Ford Mustang	*1FABP28A8FF192826*	2 Dr.
1985 Ford Bronco	*1FMCU14S6FU222121*	S/W
1984 Chevrolet S-10 Blazer	*1G8CT18BXE0142650*	S/W
1987 Dodge Caravan	*2B4FK4137HR352768*	S/W
1991 Geo Metro	*2C1MR6464M6793712*	4 Dr.
1987 Isuzu	*JAMJP7487H9401040*	Van
1987 Ford Econoline Van	*1FDDE14&1HHB79828*	S/W
1993 Ford Escort	*1FAPP11J2PW293713*	2 Dr.
1984 Chevrolet Celebrity	*1G1AW27X1E6891897*	2 Dr.
1999 Ford Econoline Van	*1FTNE2429XHC11921*	S/W



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6. Legal Notices

NOTICE

Pursuant to State Law, a sale will be held at Fullhouse Self Storage, 7886 Belleville Road, Belleville, MI, on 08/23/01 at 11:00 a.m. The following goods will be sold:

TENANT - Kelley Kounovsky
SPACE NUMBER - #K-662
CONTENTS - 6 Bags, 12 Boxes, 1 Fan, 1 End Table, 1 TV Stand, 1 Bed - Box Spring, 1 Kitchen Chair, 1 Shelf, 15 Toys, 1 Vacuum Cleaner, 2 Bed Mattresses, 1 Dresser, 2 Sofa, 2 TV, Portable, 10 Other Misc. Items

TENANT - Clara Wood
SPACE NUMBER - # G-462
CONTENTS - 3 Bed Frames, 2 Dresser, 5 Other Misc. Items, 3 Bed - Head Board, 1 End Table, 3 Kitchen Chairs, 1 Night Table

TENANT - Hazel Lacey
SPACE NUMBER - #I-421
CONTENTS - 6 Bags, 1 Bicycle, 1 Refrigerator, 1 End Table, 1 Snack Table, 15 Other Misc. Items, 1 Bed - Box Spring, 3 Boxes, 2 Sofas, 1 Kitchen Table, 1 Portable TV, 1 Bed - Mattress, 8 Kitchen Chairs, 1 Coffee Table, 1 Night Table, 1 Washing Machine

TENANT - Jerry Powers
SPACE NUMBER - #L-512
CONTENTS - 2 Bags, 2 Fans, 1 Coffee Table, 1 Portable TV, 10 Boxes, 1 Sofa, 1 End Table, 1 TV Stand, 1 Dresser, 1 Stereo, 1 Night Table, 5 Other Misc. Items.

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6. Legal Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Pursuant to State Law, a sale will be held at Mr. Stor-It, 5215 Merriman Road, Westland, MI on 8-18-01 at 11:00 a.m., where the following items will be sold:

TENANT - Raymond Frank
UNIT - # 13
CONTENTS - TV, 12 Boxes, Record Albums

TENANT - Christopher Yonts
UNIT - #36
CONTENTS - Couch, Chair, Entertainment Center, Mattress, Bed, Chest, Tires, Tables, Boxes, Misc. Car Parts

TENANT - Henry Eloma
UNIT - #307
CONTENTS - Lathe, Drill Press, 3 Bridge Ports, 3 Surface Grinders

TENANT - Linda Trent
UNIT - #365
CONTENTS - Drill Press, Work Bench, Pedestal Grinder, Battery Charger, 2 Air Conditioners, Shelving, Floor Jack, Tires, Misc. Car Parts, Many Boxes

TENANT - John Teal Smith
UNIT - # 441
CONTENTS - 2 Bikes, Clothes, Walker, Car Seat, Fan, Desk, Chair, Rug Shampoo, File Cabinet, Lawn Mower, Mattress Set, Snow Blower, Sewing Machine, Beds, Tires, Lawn Chairs

TENANT - Henry Eloma
UNIT - # 446
CONTENTS - Hi-Lo, Kalamazoo Saw, Welder, Band Saw, Bridge port, Drill Press, Power Washer, 2 Grinders

TENANT - Reginald Walker
UNIT - # 541
CONTENTS - Carpet Samples, Carpet Display Racks, Bookcase, Fluorescent Sign, Desk

TENANT - Terri Thomas
UNIT - #5458
CONTENTS - Side-by-Side Fridge, Freezer, Gas Stove, 2 Bunks, Dryer, Closet, Grill, Tool Box, 2 Fouton Mattresses & Frames, 2 Mattress Sets, Bags, Boxes

TENANT - Sonia Curry
UNIT - # 622
CONTENTS - 3 Tv's, Cd's, CD Player, Boxes, 8 Bags, VCR

TENANT - Henry Eloma
UNIT - Semi Trailer
CONTENTS - Air compressor, Die Cart, Shelving, Fans, 2 Speakers, Welder, Sandblaster, Railroad Jack 2 Sections Scaffolding, Misc. Tools

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9. Lost & Found

SILVER BRACELET found in Inkster inscribed-Dorothy J. Hribal (313)562-6145.

10. Coming Events

BINGO!
Every Thursady and Sunday Night!
1055 S. Wayne Road
Sunday Bingo
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SUMMONS

(CITACION JUDICIAL)

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: ***(Aviso a Acusado)***
BRIAN BACHELDER, AND DOES 1-20

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLANTIFF:
(A Ud. Le este demandando)
CURTIS WEISSNER dba SANTA BARBARA AQUATICS, INC., A California Corporation, and SANTA BARBARA AQUATICS, INC., A California Corporation

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons is served on you to file a typewritten response at this court.

A letter or phone call will not protect you; your typewritten response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case.

If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case, and your wages, money and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may call an attorney referral service or a legal aid office (listed in the phone book).

Despues de que to entreguen esta citacion judicial usted tiene un plazo de 30 DIAS CALENDARIOS para presentar una respuesta escrita a maquina en esta corte.

Una carta o una llamada telefonica no le ofrecera proteccion; su respuesta escrita a maquina tiene que cumplir con las formalidades legales apropiades si usted quiere que la corte escuche su caso.

Si usted no presenta su respuesta a tiempo puede perder el caso, y le pueden quitar su salario, su dinero y otras cosasde su propiedad sin aviso adicional por parte de la corte.

Existen otras requistos legales. Puede que usted quiera llamar, a un abogado immediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de referencia de abogados o a una oficina de ayuda legal (vea el directorio telefonico).

The name and address of the court is:
(El nombre y Direccion de la corte es)
Case Number 01037990
SUPERIOR COURT OF SANTA BARBARA COUNTY
1100 ANACAPA STREET
1100 ANACAPA STREET
SANTA BARBARA, CA 93101
ANACAPA DIVISION

The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff, without an attorney, is:
(El nombre, la direccion y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es)
LAWRENCE H. GOLKIN (166082) 805.962.3960 805.962.7230 LAW OFFICES OF LAWRENCE H. GOLKIN
204 WEST MISSION
P.O. BOX 23036
SANTA BARBARA, CA 93121

Dated: Jan. 4, 2001
Signed: Gary M. Blair,
Executive Officer

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Aug. 9, 2001

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32. Help Wanted

CROSSING GUARDS

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Applications are available at the Personnel Department, 3355 S. Wayne Road, Wayne, Michigan 48184. *Applications will be accepted until the positions are filled.*

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Electrical Inspector

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Applicants must be a registered and licensed electrical inspector by the State of Michigan Bureau of Construction Codes. To be considered an application must be completed and submitted to the Clerk's office. Applications and job descriptions are available at the Township Clerk's office, 46425 Tyler Road, Van Buren Township, MI 48111 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Position open until filled. ***Van Buren Township is an Equal Opportunity Employer.***

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57. Antiques

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60. Misc. Sales

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61. Misc. Items

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64. Lawn & Garden Supply

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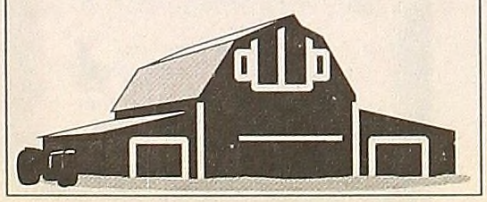

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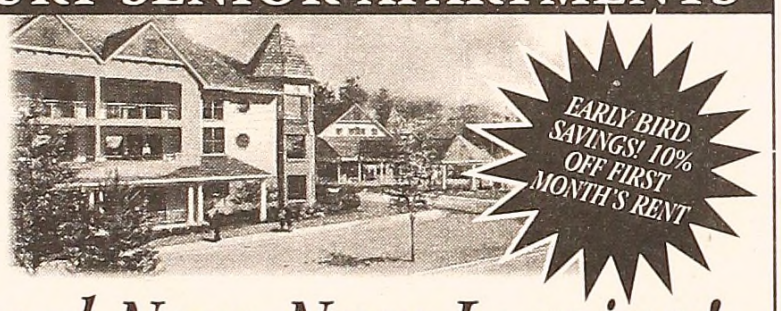

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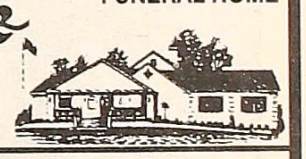
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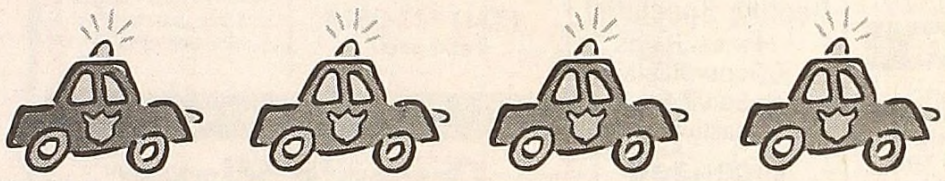

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NEWS FROM THE CITY OF WAYNE

Death claims pillar of religious community

Services are conducted for the Rev. Robert Millar

Death has claimed a pillar of the religious community and a leader in the City of Wayne for more than a half of century.

Services were conducted on Tuesday for the Rev. Robert "Bob" Millar, who passed away on July 27 at St. Vincent's Hospital in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Rev. Millar was 73-years-old and was a resident of Wayne for 60 years.

"There is a big void created in our community with his passing," said Councilwoman Donna McEachern, who knew him as a community leader for years. "I don't believe you could have found a more personable individual, a more caring person than Bob Millar."

Rev. Millar was Minister Emeritus at the First Congregational Church of Wayne where he was pastor from 1980 through 1994.

After serving as a U. S. Navy radio officer during World War II, Mr. Millar returned to Michigan and college. He graduated with a degree in Mortuary Science from Wayne State University. He then launched a 30-year career as a funeral director-manager at what was then Lents Funeral Home in Wayne.

Mr. Millar began his second career in 1980 when he became the Minister of the First Congregational Church in Wayne.

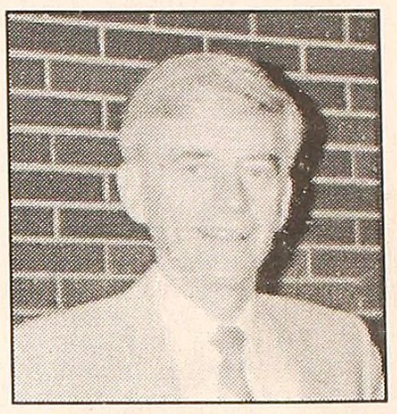
Rev. Millar also held several civic positions over the years, including President of the Wayne Lions Club, a member of the Board of Directors of the Wayne-Westland YMCA, Officer for the Southeastern Michigan Association of Congregational Churches and a Board Member of the National Commission of Ministry.

Mr. Millar also was a key player in the development of the Michigan Eye Bank and was a 50-year member of the American Legion.

Mr. Millar is survived by his wife of 32 years, Evelyn; sons - Dave and Tim; daughters-in-law Cindy and Kim and six grandchildren.

Services were conducted for Rev. Millar at 11 a.m. on Tuesday at his beloved First Congregational Church of Wayne.

The family requests that donations be made to the Penrickton Center for Blind.



Rev. Robert Millar

The Transitional Health Services of Wayne put together a team that competed in the 2001 Senior Olympics at the Novi Expo Center. The team (above), made up of Geneva Swinehart, Merdie Mea Adams, Barbara Duffy, Evelyn Kinney, and Jack Hunter, managed to walk off the volleyball court with the first-place trophy.

Wayne wins its share of Senior Olympics medals

It was their first shot at a Senior Olympics, and the members of the Transitional Health Services of Wayne team made the most of it.

The team, made up of Geneva Swinehart, Barbara Duffy, Evelyn Kinney, Jack Hunter and Merdie Mea Adams, recently traveled to the Novi Expo Center to compete against their peers and they struck gold there.

The Wayne Senior Olympics volleyball team, with an impressive lineup that included Swinehart, Adams, Duffy, Kinney and Hunter captured the gold medal in the volleyball competition.

"You should have seen the smiles when they were presented their trophies," said Larry Brazen, THS Activities Director. "It was overwhelming. I was elated to be a part of all of this."

The Wayne team also picked up a pair of silver medals thanks to Adams' efforts on the wheelchair course and Kinney's striking performance in bowling.

The THS team marched into the Novi Expo Center under the banner *We Are a Family of Love.* The banner's slogan is the inspiration of Kinney who said the group is like family.

"You know there is so much negative things written by the media about care homes and health services, we thought that maybe something, like our participation in the games, and about our family here could be publicized," said Brazon. "There is so much good that isn't getting out to the readers."

Brazon said that THS Administrator Shela Myrick has championed the cause of seniors. She has supported programs that will get them more active in projects and community.

Brazon also pointed out that the Senior Olympic trophies were donated by Fred Allen and Ed DuPrey of Garden City's Great Lakes Trophies.

Major contributors to the Olympics also included the Chelsea Department of Public Works, Mitchell Home Medical, Novi Expo Center (the use of the facility) and Lamour Printing Company.

Wayne Dems to host old fashion pig roast

It's summer time and the living, if it weren't for the Republicans, according to the Democrats, is easy.

And, it is also time for the popular Metro Wayne Democratic Club's annual down home, old fashioned "Pig Roast."

"This has always been one of our more popular events," says Cliff Johnson, President of the Metro Wayne Democratic Club. "We're inviting everyone to come on down and enjoy themselves and, of course, enjoy delicious food."

The Pig Roast will be held beginning at noon, Aug. 11, at the Local 735 UAW Hall, 48055 Michigan Avenue, Canton Township.

Along with roast pig, there also will be corn-on-the cob, hot dogs, and a lots of other good food.

The program will also feature Sherman Arnold and his tribute to the great Elvis.

Tickets are priced at $20 per person; $15 for seniors and retirees, and children, 12 and under, are invited free of charge.

For tickets and more information, contact Cliff or Marie Johnson, at 734-729-8681 or Al's Friendly Market, 734-721-4710.

'A Family Affair'

Dr. Curtis Ivery, president of Wayne County Community College, will be a keynote speaker at a youth workshop that is planned to "Build Skills for Academic Success."

The workshop will be conducted from 1 to 3 p.m. on Aug. 11, at the Booker T. Dozier Recreation Complex, 2025 Middlebelt Road, in Inkster.

Middle and high school students, ages 12 and up, are urged to attend the workshop.

Also, WCCC is hosting a Personal Financial Planning Series to help first-time home buyers. The workshop also will be conducted at 1 p.m. on Aug. 11, at the Inkster Recreation Complex.

Other topics slated to be covered are Estate Planning, Financial Management for Women, Debtor Creditor Basics, and Achieving Financial Freedom.

The Rev. George Johnson, one of the organizers of the workshops, pointed out that WCCC has made a commitment to help local students enroll in institutes of higher learning. The workshops will enhance the student's learning experience, Johnson stressed.

For more information about the workshops call 313-496-2584.

Big names to perform at Wayne's Wheelfest

Look for some of the biggest names in the entertainment industry to perform during the upcoming Wayne Wheelfest.

The Wheelfest, the frosting on the cake of the city's summer programs, will be staged Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 25-26. Wheelfest organizers promise that the weekend will be filled with excitement. Center stage are cars. Historic vehicles. And vehicles you can only dream of owning.

In addition to the cars and the big name entertainment that parks and recreation has lined up this year, there also are the usual popular Wheelfest features such as a Soap Box Derby, a Tea Party (No, not the Boston kind), Science, Puppet and Talent shows, along with a Wayne K-9 Police Demonstration.

The Mainstreet tents will be filled again. They'll have ice cream shops, arts and crafts, spin art, a bake sale, Sandy Candy, a booth selling bandanas, scrunchies, and other hair accessories and, of course, the Third Annual Tea Party will be held in one of the tents.

Mainstreet will be located on the north side of Goudy Park, and the park is located behind the Wayne City Hall, on Wayne Road, a quarter-mile north of Michigan Avenue.

The following is the schedule for Saturday, Aug. 25: Beverly Meyer Music Lady - noon; Wayne Memorial High School Dance Team - 1 p.m.; Tea Party - 1 p.m.; Science Presentation - 2 p.m.; Talent Showcase Performers - 3 p.m.; Tea Party - 3 p.m.; Wayne Wesleyan Puppet Show - 3:30 p.m.; Kicks Tae Kwon Do Demonstration - 5 p.m.; Tea Party - 5 p.m.; and Wayne Wesleyan Church puppet show - 6 p.m.

The Sunday, Aug. 26 programs are: Science Presentation - noon; Wayne K-9 Police Demonstration - 1 p.m.; Tea Party - 1 p.m.; First Baptist Church Puppet Show - 2 p.m.; Kicks Tae Kwon Do presentation - 3 p.m.; Tea Party - 3 p.m.; First Baptist Church Puppet Show - 4 p.m.; Tea Party - 5 p.m. and Talent Showcase Performers - 5 p.m.

Cookies and juice will be served to all Tea Party participants. Children will have an opportunity to dress up in fancy clothes and have "tea" with their friends and family.

For more information on any of the upcoming Wheelfest events, please call 721-7400.

More 'Friends' are needed

Ed McMurray, the chairperson for the "People Helping People" program in Wayne said on Monday that 25 volunteers have stepped forward to help reach the group's goal on Sept. 15.

On that date, volunteers will improve the exterior of a home owned by a Wayne senior or handicapped. Although the house has been selected, McMurray said he preferred withholding the senior citizen's name until the day the job is completed.

"But, let me say this that we can always use more volunteers," McMurray added. "The program has been a rewarding one. This is the fourth year of its existence."

McMurray also pointed out that the recipient's home will need to have the windows reglazed, "and if we have any people who are good at it, or are willing to donate the material, we would be glad to hear from them."

McMurray's committee includes Councilwoman Donna McEachern; Parks and Recreation Director Kim Fallow; Community Development Director Peter McInerney; Senior Services Supervisor Nancy Noel-Wojewski; Housing Rehabilitation Specialist Susan Sweet-McMahan and Audrey Tucker.

St. Mary's accepting K-8 grade students

Although you may not hear them now, but the school bells at St. Mary's of Wayne are silently ringing.

They're calling all students who plan to attend school this fall to register.

St. Mary's Catholic School school officials announced last week that they are presently accepting registration for children and students for grades kindergarten to eighth grade.

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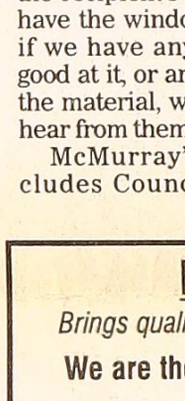

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NOTICE OF CANCELLATION

The public hearing scheduled for Tuesday, August 14, 2001, to consider parcel number V-125-83-111-99-0008-001 has been canceled. The property is located on the east side of Elwell Road just north of Hull Road and south of the railroads tracks. The applicant has requested to be removed from the agenda.

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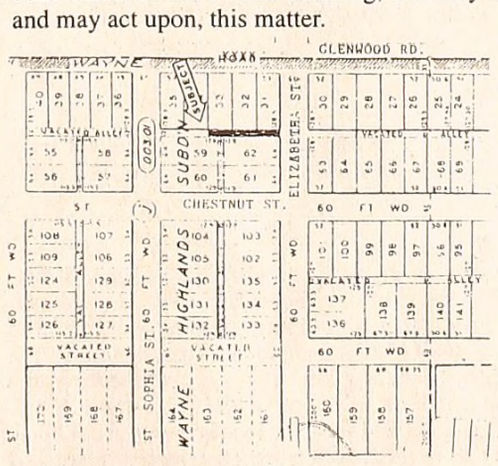
CITY OF WAYNE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The City Council of City of Wayne, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on August 21, 2001 at 8:00 p.m., in the Council Chamber of City Hall, 3355 South Wayne Road, to consider vacating a portion of the east/west alley between Sophia and Elizabeth Streets, south of Glenwood Road. The public is invited to attend and be heard. At the conclusion of the Public Hearing, the City Council will consider, and may act upon, this matter.



Mary E. Carney
City Clerk

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CITY OF WAYNE
NOTICE OF LAST DAY FOR VOTER REGISTRATION FOR PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 11, 2001

A Primary Election will be held on Tuesday, September 11, 2001, in the City of Wayne. Persons who wish to vote in this election must be registered to vote by August 13, 2001 and possess the following qualifications:

- Citizen of the United States
- Michigan resident for 30 days prior to September 11
- Eighteen (18) years of age on or before September 11

Voter registration application can also be made at an office of the following agencies:

Secretary of State
Department of Social Services
Department of Mental Health
Department of Public Health
Michigan Rehabilitation Services

City of Wayne electors who have moved to a new address within Wayne should notify the City Clerk's Office.

Mary E. Carney
City Clerk

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News from the City of Romulus

Goddard, Adams named scholars

Kristen Goddard (left) and Tiarra Adams receive the awards from Mayor William Oakley.

Kristen Goddard and Tiarra Adams were recently awarded $1,000 scholarships from the Mayor's Substance Abuse Task Force.

Goddard is a 2001 graduate of Romulus High School and is enrolled at the Specs Howard School of Broadcasting. Adams is a 19-year-old Romulus resident enrolled at Schoolcraft College, seeking a degree in law enforcement.

The Task Force, headed by Mayor William Oakley, awards two scholarships to Romulus residents each year. Anyone interested in additional information may call the Mayor's Office at 942-7571.

18 Vista helpers teach students

Thanks to a VISTA grant secured by Romulus Curriculum Director Tom Dolan, fifteen summer helpers and three full year helpers are providing their skills to Romulus this summer.

The full year helpers must each develop a service learning program this fall in conjunction with Service Learning Coordinator Kathy Hurst.

The helpers work daily with both summer school students and the Boys and Girls Club. In the morning they tutor the summer school students in reading skills and then in the afternoon offer enrichment classes at the club.

Nicole McMundy, a Class of 2001 Romulus High School graduate, and is one of the full year helpers reports that she "enjoys teaching her Spanish class at the Wick Elementary site."

Vista grant recipients Nicole McMundy and (far right) Kelly Abdo taught a Spanish Class to Boys and Girls Club students at the Wick site. The students (left to right) are Richard Bennet, Jamarco Stephens, Jessica Letts, William Williams, Antonio Pressley, Angelique Blackmon, Dondre Fields and Shamir Peggs.

The Wayne County Fair concluded festivities last week. Some of the highlights were monster truck racing, shown above, and a miniature Barnum and Bailey replication, below. Photos by Stefanie Carano.

A. CITY OF ROMULUS
REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS
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The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for the above item.

(1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from Kristian Moe, Purchasing/Computer Services Director, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (734) 942-7564.

(2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., August 11, 2001. At that time said bids would be publicly opened and read.

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CITY OF ROMULUS
ORDINANCE NO. 01-217

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE MINIMUM REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION, ENLARGEMENT, REPAIR, DEMOLITION, REMOVAL, MAINTENANCE, AND USE OF ALL BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS, COLLECTION OF FEES, MAKING OF INSPECTIONS; ELECTION BY THE CITY TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY UNDER THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT OF 1972, AS AMENDED, ADOPTING BY REFERENCE, THE MICHIGAN BUILDING CODE, AS THE BUILDING CODE FOR THE CITY OF ROMULUS; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF; AND AMEND EXISTING SECTION 5-16, RESTATE SECTION 5-17 OF THE CITY OF ROMULUS, COUNTY OF WAYNE AND STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, hereby ordains:

Section 1. Exemption. The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, pursuant to the provisions of Section 4 and 88 of the State Construction Code Act ("Act"), hereby elects to assume responsibility for administration and enforcement of the Act.

Section 2. Section 5-16 of Article II of Chapter V of the Romulus City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

5-16 Code Adopted. Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 4 and 88 of the State Construction Code Act, the Michigan Building Code, as promulgated by the Director of the Department of Consumer and Industry Services, is hereby adopted by reference and made a part hereof as if fully set out in this Ordinance. A copy of the Michigan Building Code shall be filed with the office of the City Clerk.

Section 3. Section 5-17 of Article II of Chapter V of the Romulus City Code is hereby restated to read as follows:

5-97 Enforcement and Penalty. The Chief Legal Officer of the City may issue a complaint and obtain a warrant for violations of the Act or the Michigan Building Code and prosecute the violation with the same power and authority it possesses in prosecuting all other ordinance violations. Violation of the Act or the Michigan Building Code is a municipal civil infraction and in the case of a violation of the Act or this Code, the City may issue a citation for a municipal civil infraction pursuant to MCL 600.8701 to 600.8735. The enforcing agency for the City shall be the Director of Building and Safety.

Section 4. Saving Clause. Nothing in this Ordinance or in the Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court or administrative body, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any Act or Ordinance hereby repealed by this Ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

Section 5. Severability. Should any word, sentence, phrase or any portion of this Ordinance be held in a manner invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction or by any state agency having authority to do so for any reason whatsoever, such holdings shall be construed and limited to such word, sentence, phrase or any portion of the Ordinance held to be so invalid and shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any of the remaining words, sentences, phrases or portions of this Ordinance.

Section 6. Conflicting Ordinances. All prior existing ordinances adopted by the City of Romulus inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, hereby expressly repealed.

Section 7. Readings. This Ordinance shall be given a first reading on July 2, 2001, shall be enacted on July 9, 2001 and shall be published on or before August 2, 2001 and shall be effective August 2, 2001.

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Romulus this 9th day of July, 2001.

William Oakley,Mayor
Linda Choate, City Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance as passed by the City Council of the City of Romulus at a regular Council Meeting held in the City Council Room in said City on the 9th day of July 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk

I further certify that the foregoing was published in Romulus Roman a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Romulus, on the 2nd day of August, 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk
Within forty-five (45) days after publication of any ordinance duly passed by the Council, a petition may be presented to the Council protesting against such ordinance continuing in effect. Said petition shall contain the text of such ordinance and shall be signed by not less than six percent (6%) of the registered electors registered at the last preceding election at which a Mayor of the City was elected. Said ordinance shall thereupon and thereby be suspended from operation and the Council shall immediately reconsider such ordinance.

Publish: August 2, 2001

CITY OF ROMULUS
ORDINANCE NO. 01-217

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE MINIMUM REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE DESIGN, INSTALLATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF MECHANICAL, SYSTEMS, BY PROVIDING REASONABLE SAFEGUARDS TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY AGAINST HAZARDS OF INADEQUATE, DEFECTIVE OR UNSAFE MECHANICAL SYSTEMS AND INSTALLATIONS; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS, COLLECTION OF FEES, MAKING OF INSPECTIONS; ELECTION BY THE CITY TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY UNDER THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT OF 1972, AS AMENDED, ADOPTING BY REFERENCE, THE MICHIGAN MECHANICAL CODE, AS THE MECHANICAL CODE FOR THE CITY OF ROMULUS; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF; AND AMEND EXISTING SECTION 5-111, RESTATE SECTION 5-112 OF THE CITY OF ROMULUS, COUNTY OF WAYNE AND STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, hereby ordains:

Section 1. Exemption. The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, pursuant to the provisions of Section 4 and 88 of the State Construction Code Act ("Act"), hereby elects to assume responsibility for administration and enforcement of the Act.

Section 2. Section 5-111 of Article V of Chapter V of the Romulus City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

5-111 Code Adopted. Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 4 and 88 of the State Construction Code Act, the Michigan Mechanical Code, as promulgated by the Director of the Department of Consumer and Industry Services, is hereby adopted by reference and made a part hereof as if fully set out in this Ordinance. A copy of the Michigan Mechanical Code shall be filed with the office of the City Clerk.

Section 3. Section 5-112 of Article V of Chapter V of the Romulus City Code is hereby restated to read as follows:

5-112 Enforcement and Penalty. The Chief Legal Officer of the City may issue a complaint and obtain a warrant for violations of the Act or the Michigan Mechanical Code and prosecute the violation with the same power and authority it possesses in prosecuting all other ordinance violations. Violation of the Act or the Michigan Mechanical Code is a municipal civil infraction and in the case of a violation of the Act or this Code, the City may issue a citation for a municipal civil infraction pursuant to MCL 600.8701 to 600.8735. The enforcing agency for the City shall be the Director of Building and Safety.

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NEWS FROM THE TRI-COMMUNITIES

Walk, taste test, art draw crowd to Belleville

By STEFANIE CARANO
MCN Special Writer

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The Belleville Bridgewalk, the Taste of Belleville and Chesley's Odom's opening gallery exhibition of "The Bridge" were all held that Thursday night as one continuous event.

The first event, the "Bridgewalk" began at the intersection of Quirk and Main Street. Local residents crossed the bridge designed by Chesley Odom and arrived in Horizon Park on High Street for the "Taste of Belleville."

Taste of Belleville featured 13 local restaurants including Belleville Grille, Dos Pesos, Bayou Grill and Belle's Beanery. For one ticket, a dollar a piece, each table offered a "taste" of their menu ranging from a sampler of Mexican-style fare to a deli sandwich and a cup of coffee.

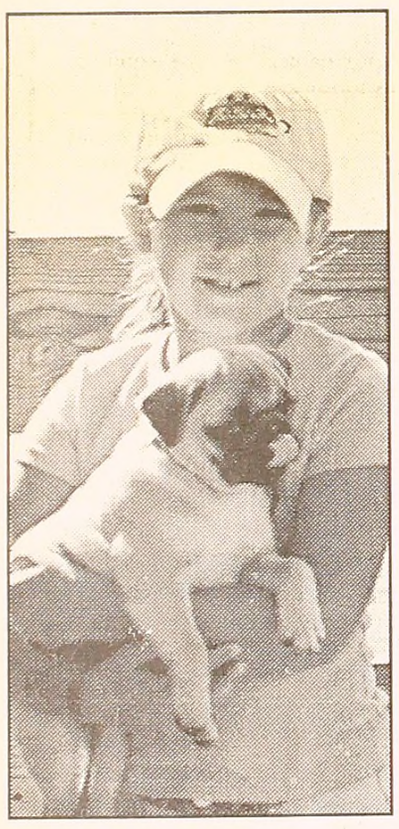
A brief electrical problem had stalled the band, Uprizen, that was scheduled to play and forced one of the vendors to pack up and leave. Afraid a power surge might ruin the slush machine, Frosty Boy was no longer able to serve their free samples of slush and took the machine back to the local franchise. After a visit from an electrician, Uprizen, a steel drum band, entertained the tasters as they ate.

The cool, clear day allowed everyone to enjoy themselves and many people walked to the edge of Belleville Lake to visit the ducks and geese who were gathered at the shorline.

Following the "Taste" was the exhibition of Chesley Odom's photographs and design sketches called "The Bridge." Held in the Keller Williams Building, on-lookers could view the history of the Belleville Bridge, past and present. There were also creative photographs by Odom of the current Belleville Bridge such as "The Four Seasons."

"The Bridge" exhibit will continue through September 15. Those still interested in the Bridgewalk/Taste who did not attend this year will have to wait until 2002.

After a brief power outage, the powerful steel drums of Uprizen performed for tasters.



Chelsie Davis and her dog, Pugsie, were two of the many guests at the Taste of Belleville.

Michiganians win with full telephone competition

David Palsrok

Michiganians are overpaying for long-distance telephone calls by more than $1 billion per year.

That's because long-distance giants are pocketing that money instead of passing along savings to consumers. For example:

- AT&T hiked rates 11 percent in July;
- WorldCom and AT&T imposed a $1.50 per month "billing charge" on Michigan customers' phone bills — a 74 percent mark-up of the local phone companies' charge; and
- AT&T kept millions of dollars in federal access reform money intended for Michigan consumers.

Recently, the Consumer Federation of America and the Consumers Union wrote, "It is also clear that competition in long distance is not strong enough to translate lower costs into lower prices."

The only way to make sure Michiganians win and start saving money is to bring full competition to the marketplace by allowing all phone companies to compete for all customers.

Soon, the Michigan Public Service Commission (MPSC) may approve an application to allow Ameritech to enter the state's long-distance market, bringing full competition to Michigan.

If the application is approved, Michiganians will benefit from competitive long-distance prices, better service and more choices — for both local and long-distance.

For more information on gaining full competition for Michigan consumers and to support the MPSC's process, contact me toll free at (866) 825-1265 or e-mail palsrok@voyager.net or log on to www.connectmichigan.org.

David Palsrok
Executive Director

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CITY OF ROMULUS

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD JULY 9, 2001 IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER ROMULUS CITY HALL, 11111 S. WAYNE ROAD, ROMULUS, MICHIGAN 48714.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Randolph Gear, Mayor Pro Tem

Present: LeRoy D. Burcroff, William A. Crova, Randolph Gear, Donald Morris, Michael A. Prybyla, Debbie Romak, William Wadsworth
Absent: None
Excused: None

Administrative Officials in Attendance:
William Oakley, Mayor
Linda R. Choate, Clerk
Pamela Kersey, Treasurer

1. Motion by Romak, supported by Burcroff to accept the agenda as presented.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

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2A. Motion by Crova, supported by Prybyla to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held July 2, 2001.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Abstain - Morris, Romak. Motion Carried.

3A. No action taken.

01-210

4A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Crova to adopt a memorial resolution for the family of Jack Morgan.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

4. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Romak to accept the Chairperson's Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-211

5A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to award Bid 00/01-53 to Valk Manufacturing in the amount of $10,192.50 for the purchase of Underbody Scraper Blades and Grader Blades.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-212

5B. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Crova to adopt a resolution supporting the application requirement for Special Hauling Permit and to establish a $35.00 permit fee. Further, to authorize the Department of Public Works Director to determine the necessary requirements for approval of the hauling permit.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-213

5C. Motion by Crova, supported by Burcroff to award the bid for the Beverly Road Pavement Reconstruction and Water Main Improvements to the low bidder, Six-S, Inc. in the amount of $3,058,854.08, budgeted in the Water & Sewer account for the water main portion with the balance to be funded by a bond issue.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla. Nays - Gear, Romak, Wadsworth. Motion Carried.

01-214

5D. Motion by Morris, supported by Prybyla to adopt a resolution authorizing the issuance of the Special Assessment Bonds for the purpose of defraying part of a special assessment share of the cost in connection with certain public road improvements for Beverly Road and adopt a resolution for the issuance of the Limited Tax General Obligation Bonds to pay the City's cost in connection with said improvements. A copy in its entirety is on file in the City Clerk's office.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla. Nays - Gear, Romak, Wadsworth. Motion Carried.

01-215

6A1. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Morris to approve the second reading and final adoption of Chapter 38 of the Romulus Code of Ordinances introduced at the meeting of June 25, 2001.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-216

6A2. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Prybyla to approve the second reading and final adoption of Chapter 4, Sections 4-146 and 4-164 of the Romulus Code of Ordinances introduced at the meeting of July 2, 2001.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-217

6A3. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Crova to approve the second reading and final adoption of Chapter 5, Sections 16, 17, 96, 97, 111, 112, 171 and 172, and Chapter 12, Sections 16 and 17 of the Romulus Code of Ordinances introduced at the meeting of July 2, 2001.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-218

11. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Wadsworth to authorize the payment of Warrant 01-13 in the grand total amount of Four Hundred and Fifty Eight Thousand, Five Hundred and Twenty Two Dollars and Eighty Seven Cents ($458,522.87).

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

12. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

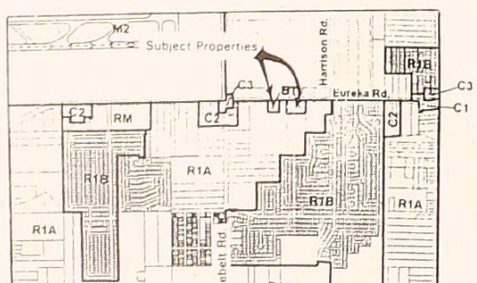
Respectfully submitted,
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held July 9, 2001.
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

Publish: August 2, 2001

CITY OF ROMULUS PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised, that the City of Romulus Planning Commission has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held Monday, August 20, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. Prevailing Eastern Time in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485. The purpose of the meeting is to consider PC-2001-030, a request to rezone two properties on the south side of Eureka Road, west of Inkster [DP#s 142 99 0002 0010 and 142 99 0012 005 from BT (Business Transitional) to R-1A (Single Family Residential) zoned district because of the elimination of the BT zoning district.



All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to comment on said request. Written comments may be submitted until 12:00 noon, Monday, August 20, 2001 and should be addressed to Bradley Raymond, Director, Building, Safety and Engineering Department, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

Publish: August 2, 2001

A. CITY OF ROMULUS
REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS
BID 01/02-12

TREATED BULK ROAD SALT

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for the above item.

(1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from Kristian Moe, Purchasing/Computer Services Director, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (734) 942-7564.

(2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., August 14, 2001. At that time said bids would be publicly opened and read.

BID ENVELOPES SHOULD BE MARKED:
CITY CLERK
CITY OF ROMULUS, MICHIGAN
BID 01/02-12
TREATED BULK ROAD SALT
11111 WAYNE ROAD
ROMULUS, MI 48174-1472

(3) The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and proposals and to waive technicalities.

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OBITUARIES

ALLEN, JEAN, 99, of Westland, passed away July 21. Dear wife of the late Joe Allen. Loving mother of Beverly (Jim) Underwood. Beloved grandmother of Sherry Underwood, Tom (Theresa) Underwood; Great-grandmother of Scott Underwood and Thom Underwood. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Neal Cowling. Interment followed at Parkview Memorial Cemetery, Livonia.

BRADFORD, O.D., 86 yrs.old, of Detroit, passed away on June 17, 2001. Dear father of Mae Lewis, Darryl, Domonique, Michael, April, and Beverly. Dearest grandfather to four. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home.

CARPENTER, SHIRLEY MAXINE, 77, of Canton, passed away July 17. Loving wife of Norman Carpenter. Beloved mother of Joyce E. (Gary) Gaylord and Ronald (Nancy) Carpenter. Dear sister of Gerald Hodgson, the late Cecil Hodgson, and the late Norman Hodgson. Dearest grandmother of Matthew Carpenter, Jeffery Carpenter, Marie Carpenter, Lauri Gaylord, Julie Gaylord, and Audrey Lansky. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Roy Forsyth officiating. Interment followed at Southern Michigan Services, Livonia.

CONLEY, CAROLYN M., 50, of Inkster (born to John and Berniece Robinson), passed away July 7. She leaves behind to cherish her memory children James Jr., Daryl, Darnell, Angela, and Darlene; mother Bernice; grandchildren Daryl, Jr. and Caleb; ex-husband, James; family and friends. Arrangements made by Penn Funeral Home. Services were held at Romulus Community Baptist with Rev. Hiram McBurrows officiating.

CROSS, PAULA, 30, of Detroit (born in Farmington Hills to James and Margaret Cross), passed away July 6. She leaves behind to mourn her passing and to cherish the light her children Aaron and Aniyah; her father James; brother Gregory; daughter, Kelly; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home. Services were held at Greater New Community COGIC with Pastor Desi Turner officiating.

DIXON, MRS. WALTER LOU, 83, of Inkster (born in Hawkinsville, GA to Walter and Mary Lou Brown), passed away July 10. She was a school teacher at Rockhill School in GA. She was also known for her cooking. She leaves behind to rejoice in her memory her children Annie Louise, Francene, William, Delores, Vivian, and Lillie; seventeen grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; eleven great-great-grandchildren; life long friend Mrs. Willie Mae Rogers, family and friends. Arrangements were meade by Penn Funeral Home with services held at St. John AME Church with Pastor John Henning officiating.

DONALD, LEWIS, 77, of Romulus (born to Lonnie and Minnie Donald in Ypsilanti), passed away July 6. He leaves to cherish his memory his wife Betty; daughters Tamera and Nartisha; his mother Minnie; seven brothers; three sisters; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home. Services were held at Saint City COGIC with Rev. James Whitehead officiating.

ENSIGN (IRVIN), DONA L., 64, of Manchester, NH (formerly of Wayne/Westland), passed away July 8 in New Hampshire. Beloved wife for thirty years to the late Kenneth Ensign. Dear mother of Deborah Burkhart of Michigan, Diane Neff of New Hampshire, Yulondia Funk of New Hampshire, and Lee Craig Ensign of New York State. Dear daughter of the late Charles P. Irvin and Anna M. Irvin-Smith (stepfather Roy A. Smith). Dear sister of Charles P. Irvin, Jr. of Romulus and Dolores Ann Nedeau of Belleville. She is also survived by five grandchildren and one great-grandchild. She was a member of Post 3323 VFW Auxiliary; Constable, New York Moose Lodge; and a Republican Party member. Funeral services were held in Manchester, New Hampshire. Cremation rites have been accorded.

GARR, VANESSA GRACE, 2, of Canton, passed away July 18. Loving daughter of David and Lynn Garr. Beloved sister of Stephani Duncan, Laura Duncan, Heather Duncan, Alex Garr, and Stephanie Garr. Dearest granddaughter of Jerry and Janet Strickler; and Larry and Carol Garr. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Father Jack Baker officiating. Interment followed at Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton. Contributions can be made in her honor to United Cerebral Palsy of Michigan.

JOHNSTON, CARLETON, 55, of Westland, passed away July 13. Beloved father of Jennifer Johnston. Dear friend of Thomas DeMemara of Westland. No services were held. Interment took place at Southern Michigan Services, Livonia.

JORDAN, JONATHAN, 8 months old (born in Dearborn to Jonathan and Peggy Jordan), passed away July 10. Loving infant son of Jonathan and Peggy Jordan. Dear brother of Aisha. Dearest grandson of Freddie and Dorothy Bishop, and Harold and Ethel Jordan. Also survived by great-grandparents, relatives and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home with services held at Pentecostal Temple with Elder Isaac King officiating.

LEWIS, JOHN, 77, of Inkster (born in Marksville, LA to Joseph and Christina Lewis), passed away July 7. He served in the United States Navy during World War II and worked for Chrysler for thirty years. He is survived by two brothers; children Edwina, John, Regina and Michael; eight grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home. Services were held at St. John the Baptist Church in Dearborn Hts., with interment at our Lady of Hope Cemetery.

LITTLETON, PETE, 73, of Romulus, passed away July 23. He was a member of the Belleville Moose Lodge, VFW of Romulus, and the American Legion. Loving husband of Rosemary Littleton. Beloved father of Charles Robert (Wilma) Littleton; Regis Littleton of Romulus; Elva Louise (Roger) Jones of McKeesport, PA; and Lorrie Littleton of Sumpter Twsp. Dear brother of Louise McGrew of Philadelphia, PA; and Betty Mae Cashmarek of Florida. He is also survived by grandchildren Melissa Ray Littleton, Chuck Littleton, Jr., Cynthia Ruth Littleton, Steven Isaac Littleton, Tiffany Ryback, Gregory Littleton, Paul David Lenderman, Renee Littleton, Donivain Jones, and Jessica Jones; and one great-grandchild, Mariah Ryback. Funeral services were held at St. Aloysius Catholic Church with Father Alexander Wytrwal officiating. Interment followed at Romulus Cemetery. Arrangements made by Crane Funeral Home.

MARABLE, BETTY, 56, of Inkster (born in Chicago, IL to James and Odessa Marable), passed away July 12. Even though she had polio as a child she still lived to the fullest and was an interior decorator. She iaves saddened by her passing her children Ursula and Vernell; one sister; three brothers; six grandchildren; family and friends. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home with Elder Thomas Haralson officiating.

MILLAR, REV. ROBERT "BOB", passed away ar St. Vincent's Hospital in Indianapolis, IN on Friday July 27. He was 73 years old. He was a 60 year resident of Wayne. He was Minister Emeritus at the First Congregational Church of Wayne where he was pastor from 1980-1994. He served in the U.S. Navy as a radio officer during WWII, he graduated with a degree in Mortuary Science from Wayne State University, and was a funeral director/Manager for 30 years at (formerly) Lents Funeral Home in Wayne. He also held civic positions over the years, including: President of the Wayne Lions Club, Board Member of the W-W YMCA, Officer for the Southern Michigan Association of Congregational Church and a Board Member of the National Commission of Ministry. He was a key person in the development of the Michigan Eye Bank and was a 50-year member of the American Legion. He is survived by his wife of 52 years Evelyn; sons Dave and Tim; daughter-in-laws Cindy and Kim; and six grandchildren. Services were held at the First Congregational Church of Wayne. Funeral Arrangements were made through Harry J. Will Funeral Home. The family requests donations be made to the Penrickton Center for Blind Children.

MILLER, GEORGIA LEE, 87, of Westland, passed away July 21. Dearest wife of the late Beryl Miller. Loving mother of Francis Temple, John (Lucille) Miller, Leroy (Roseanne) Miller, Georgia "Georgianna" (Larry) Hartsell, the late Susie Potter, and William (Geraldine) Clemons. Also survived by eighteen grandchildren and seventeen great-grandchildren. Preceded in death by siblings Allie Clemons, John Ferris, Bill Ferris, and Joe Ferris; daughter Susie; and husband Beryl. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Reverend Roland Trokie officiating. Interment followed at Michigan Memorial Park, Flat Rock.

MOLENDA, JOSEPHINE, 86, of Romulus, passed away July 16. Survived by her sister Mrs. Edward (Genevieve) Hanba of Waterford, step-sister Mrs. Edwin (Marlon) Stawinski of New Jersey, and step-sister Mrs. Robert (Florence) Chandler of California. She was an active member of St. Aloysius Festival Committee and Romulus Senior Citizens. Funeral services were held at St. Aloysius Catholic Church with Father Alexander Wytrwal officiating. Interment followed at Michigan Memorial Park in Flat Rock. Funeral arrangements were made by Crane Funeral Home.

MORIN, HAZEL, 84, of Belleville, Mich., passed away on Friday July 13, 2001. Loving wife of her late husband, Henry Morin. Dearest mother of Loren (Christine) Morin, Lorraine

See **OBITUARIES,** page C-5

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NOTICE

CITY OF ROMULUS
ROAD VACATION

Notice is hereby given, that the City Council of the City of Romulus has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174 on Monday, August 27, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of taking testimony on the proposed vacation of Farnum Road from Garner east to its terminus at Interstate 94, Ecorse City Community Subdivision.

Written comments may be submitted to the attention of Linda R. Choate, CMC, City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485, or telephone (734) 942-7540, no later than 12:00 o'clock noon, August 27, 2001.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

THIS IN AN OPEN MEETING

Publish: August 2, 2001

City of Inkster
Case No. 01-119509-CH

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, City of Inkster, Plaintiff, vs. LeRoy Morgan, Daly Real Estate Services, Inc. and State of Michigan. Defendants. Order Allowing Substituted Service

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on July 26, 2001.

PRESENT: HONORABLE MICHAEL F. SAPALA, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.
This matter having come before the court for the Petition For Substituted Service and the court being fully advised in the premises.

IT IS HEREBYY ORDERED that service of process be made upon the aforesaid Defendants in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give said Defendants actual notice of the preceedings and an opportunity to be heard;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that substituted service be made in accordance with MCR 2.105 and 2.106 to serve the aforesaid Defendants by posting at their last known address, by First Class Mail and by publication.

The Plaintiff has brought this action against Defendants and all other persons who may claim an interest in the following property in order to seek an abatement of a nuisance by demolition of the property located at 26077 Lehigh, Inkster, MI, legally described as: Lot 418, includng the adjoining one-half of the vacated public alley at the rear thereof, Rougelvania Subdivision No. 1, as recorded in Liber 54, Page 81 of Plats, Wayne County Record.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants shall appear before the Honorable Michael F. Sapala in room 701 of the Wayne Circuit Court at 9:00 a.m. on September 4, 2001 to Show Cause why an order should not be entered abating a public nuisance by demolition.

Michael F. Sapala
Circuit Court Judge

(A true copy)
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Milton Spokojny (P-20854)
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CITY OF ROMULUS
ORDINANCE NO. 01-216

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 1, SECTION 13(a)(2) TO PROVIDE THAT VIOLATIONS OF CHAPTER 4, SECTION 4-164 (DANGEROUS DOGS) AND SECTION 4-146 (POSSESSION OF WILD OR EXOTIC ANIMALS) WILL REMAIN MISDEMEANOR VIOLATIONS.

The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, hereby ordains:

Section 1. Article I, Section 1-13(a)(2) is amended to read as follows:

Any person convicted of a violation of Chapter 4, except for Section 4-64 (Dangerous Dogs) and Section 4-146 (Possession of Wild or Exotic Animals), 14, 19, 23 or 27, shall be guilty of a municipal civil infraction, punishable by a fine of not more than Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) in the discretion of the Court.

Section 2. Saving Clause. Nothing in this Ordinance or in the Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court or administrative body, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any Act or Ordinance hereby repealed by this Ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

Section 3. Severability. Should any word, sentence, phrase or any portion of this Ordinance be held in a manner invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction or by any state agency having authority to do so for any reason whatsoever, such holdings shall be construed and limited to such word, sentence, phrase or any portion of the Ordinance held to be so invalid and shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any of the remaining words, sentences, phrases or portions of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Conflicting Ordinances. All prior existing ordinances adopted by the City of Romulus inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, hereby expressly repealed.

Section 5. Readings. This Ordinance shall be given a first reading on July 2, 2001, shall be enacted on July 9, 2001 and shall be published on or before August 2, 2001 and shall be effective August 2, 2001.

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Romulus this 9th day of July 2001.

William Oakley, Mayor
Linda Choate, City Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance as passed by the City Council of the City of Romulus at a regular Council Meeting held in the City Council Room in said City on the 9th day of July, 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk
I further certify that the foregoing was published in Romulus Roman a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Romulus, on the 2nd day of August, 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk
Within forty-five (45) days after publication of any ordinance duly passed by the Council, a petition may be presented to the Council protesting against such ordinance continuing in effect. Said petition shall contain the text of such ordinance and shall be signed by not less than six percent (6%) of the registered electors registered at the last preceding election at which a Mayor of the City was elected. Said ordinance shall thereupon and thereby be suspended from operation and the Council shall immediately reconsider such ordinance.

Publish: August 2, 2001

CITY OF ROMULUS
ORDINANCE NO. 01- 215

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE MINIMUM REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE DESIGN, INSTALLATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF PLUMBING SYSTEMS, BY PROVIDING REASONABLE SAFEGUARDS TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC HEALTH AGAINST THE HAZARDS OF INADEQUATE, DEFECTIVE OR UNSANITARY PLUMBING INSTALLATIONS; ELECTION BY THE CITY TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY UNDER THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT OF 1972, ADOPTING BY REFERENCE, THE MICHIGAN PLUMBING CODE, AS THE PLUMBING CODE FOR THE CITY OF ROMULUS; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF; AND AMEND EXISTING SECTION 5-96, RESTATE SECTION 5-97 OF THE CITY OF ROMULUS, COUNTY OF WAYNE, STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, hereby ordains:

Section 1. Exemption. The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, pursuant to the provisions of Section 4 and 88 of the State Construction Code Act ("Act"), hereby elects to assume responsibility for administration and enforcement of the Act.

Section 2. Section 5-96 of Article IV of Chapter V of the Romulus City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

5-96 Code Adopted. Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 4 and 88 of the State Construction Code Act, the Michigan Plumbing Code, as promulgated by the Director of the Department of Consumer and Industry Services, is hereby adopted by reference and made a part hereof as if fully set out in this Ordinance. A copy of the Michigan Plumbing Code shall be filed with the office of the City Clerk.

Section 3. Section 5-97 of Article IV of Chapter V of the Romulus City Code is hereby restated to read as follows:

5-97 Enforcement and Penalty. The Chief Legal Officer of the City may issue a complaint and obtain a warrant for violations of the Act or the Michigan Plumbing Code and prosecute the violation with the same power and authority it possesses in prosecuting all other ordinance violations. Violation of the Act or the Michigan Plumbing Code is a municipal civil infraction and in the case of a violation of the Act or this Code, the City may issue a citation for a municipal civil infraction pursuant to MCL 600.8701 to 600.8735. The enforcing agency for the City shall be the Director of Building and Safety.

Section 4. Saving Clause. Nothing in this Ordinance or in the Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court or administrative body, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any Act or Ordinance hereby repealed by this Ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

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OBITUARIES

Obituaries
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(Clyde) Dunivant, John (Arlene) Morin, Henry(Delores) Morin,Jr., Betresha Matheny of East Jordan, Gary Morin, George (Mary Ann) Morin and Goldie (Thomas) Sparka. Dearest grandmother to 23 and great-grandmother of 26. Services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home on Monday, July 16. Interment at St. Stephen cemetary.

MURPHY, MARGARET, 93 Of Canton, passed away on July 8, 2001. Dear mother of Margaret (The late Marlin) Billings, dearest grandmother to 5 and great-grandmother of six. Interment at Southern Michigan Services.

NOLAN, JEWEL LORETTA, 68 of Belleville, passed away June 21. beloved wife of Edgar Nolan. Dear mother of Reed Curalton (Carol) Anderson Jr of Detroit, Derrick Anderson of Detroit, Arthur Carrol (Cynthia) Anderson of Detroit, and Sharon Renee Anderson of Belleville. Dear daughter of the late Seaborn and Remill (Bryant) Butler of Ann Arbor. Preceded in death by her father and her son, Kenneth Berry Anderson. Also survived by sixteen grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. She was employed by the State of Michigan as a probation officer. She was also a member of Eastern Star and the United Organization of Social Workers. She was an active member of Bethlehem Temple where she served as treasurer. She was also a licensed social worker, counseling many over the years professionally and personally. Funeral services were held at Bethlehem Temple with Elder Elliott B. Karo officiating. Interment followed at United Memorial Gardens, Ann Arbor. Memorial contributions can be made in her honor to the American Lung Association.

OX, TILLIAN, 83 of Belleville, passed away June 23. Loving daughter of Max and Anny (Chiet) OX. Funeral services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Mrs. Patricia Danyko-Stroud officiating. Interment followed at Knollwood Cemetery, Canton.

PEARSON, WESLEY ALFRED, 60 of Belleville, passed away June 28. Dear son of James Alfred and Sonia C. (Kajcienski) Pearson. He was employed by Ford Motor Company. Mr. Pearson served his country in the U.S. Navy. Cremation rites have been accorded. Interment of cremains was held at Hillside Cemetery, Belleville. Arrangements made by David C. Brown Funeral Home.

PEPLINSKI JR., JOHN PAUL, 58, of Big Creek, Michigan (formerly of Westland), passed away July 21. Loving husband of Fetnie Peplinski. Beloved father of John P. (Heather) Peplinski of Westland and T. Michelle Klump. Dear brother of Joyce Daniels, Renee Ducharme-Koltowicz, and Charles Peplinski. Dearest grandfather of Alexys Peplinski and Alivia Peplinski. He was a member of the Wayne Masonic Lodge #112, Harris-Keher V.F.W. Post, Ypsilanti Eagles, and the Wayne Moose Lodge. Funeral services were held at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Wayne with Father Jack Baker officiating. Interment followed at Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens, Livonia.

PIERCE, CAROLINE C., 60, of Westland, passed away on July 3, 2001. Loving wife of Ronald Pierce, Dear mother of Debra Lynn (Dwayne) Bilbery, Ronald J. Jr. (Christine) Pierce, Carol (Mark) Suda, Ernest (Barbara) Pierce, Mary Ann (Eric) Utterback, Cory R. Pierce. Dearest grandmother of five. Services were held at Uht Funeral Home, on July 6, 2001. Interment at Michigan Memorial Park.

PRUETT, BRIAN, 39, of Taylor, passed away on July 7, 2001. Loving son of Peter Soelch and Mary Ann Soelch. Dear brother of Pamela (Daniel) Lamarand, James Pruett, Renee (Tim) Courteau. Services were held at Uht Funeral Home on July 11, 2001. Interment at Southern Michigan Services.

SIZEMORE SR., KERMIT, 67, of Ypsilanti, passed away July 17. Beloved husband of Dianne E. (Halcomb) Smith. Dear father of Melinda (Ernie) McCormick. Kermit Jr. (Becky) Sizemore, Cory H. Smith, all of Ypsilanti; and Martin D. (Tonya) Smith of Belmont, MS. Dear son of the late Samuel and Susie (Robison) Sizemore. Brother of Roland (Dee) Sizemore of Ypsilanti; John (Betty) Sizemore of Louisville, KY; Thomas (Chico) Sizemore of Brandenburg, KY; Robert (June) Sizemore of Circleville, OH; and Flo Napier of Dry Ridge, KY. Also survived by grandchildren Lisa Marie Sizemore, Jessie Paul (TiShaun) Sizemore and Stephen Brown all of Ypsilanti; and great-child Payton Jeffery Sizemore of Ypsilanti. Preceded in death by his parents, brother Edward Sizemore, grandchild Jason Sizemore, and great-grandchild Jordyn David Sizemore. He retired from the Ford Motor Company (Wayne assembly Plant) after thirty years. Funeral services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Rev. Ron Shiver officiating. Proceeding to Alban Cemetery, Ypsilanti, by horse drawn hearse for interment.

SMITH, HERMAN W., 83, of Inkster (born in Columbia, SC to Randolph and Bettie Smith), passed away July 10. He loved music and mastered the bass fiddle. He leaves to cherish his memories his wife of 62 years, Frances; children, Elizabeth, John, and Judith; eight grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; family and friends. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home with Elder Isaac King Jr. officiating.

STANLEY, MARGARET, 73 of Wayne, passed away July 1. Dear mother of Eric J. (Lanette) Stanley of Belleville, Bryan E. Stanley of Colorado, and Doug (Sandy) Stanley of Pickney. Dear daughter of the late Clarence Earl and Olive (Harr) Beaman. Dear sister of Patty Waller of Detroit. Beloved grandmother of Erica, Jason, Raymond, Jarrod, Cory, and Ryan; and great-grandmother of Connor. She was retired from Allied Signal/Bendix. Cremation rites have been accorded. Arrangements made by David C. Brown Funeral Home.

STORTORS, HARRIET A., 91, of Livonia, passed away July 14. Loving mother of Bill (Diane) Stortors. Beloved grandmother of Susan (Kurt) Gawley, Ann (Brent) Lienbach, USMC Sgt. Brian Stortors, David (Lisa) Swinton, and Dawn (Jason) Rutledge. Also survived by ten great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held at the First Congregational Church, Wayne with Rev. Rob Joy officiating. Interment followed at Southern Michigan Services, Livonia. Arrangements made by Uht Funeral Home.

VAERTEN, MARY ANN, 54, of Ann Arbor, passed away July 23. Beloved special companion of Navin J. Shah of Ann Arbor. Dear mother of Steven (Theresa) Vaerten of Milford; Susan (James) Roelant of Belleville; Michael Vaerten of Belleville; Kamala Huron of Williamsburg, MI; and Chandra Shah of Denver, CO. Dear daughter Helen Difloe of Livonia and Edward Smith of Fenton. Sister of Edward Smith of Ann Arbor, Christopher Smith of West Bloomfield, and William Smith of Livonia. Also survived by ten grandchildren. Preceded in death by a grandson, Michael Vaerten II. She was employed at the University of Michigan Medical Center as a research associate. She was also a member of Ann Arbor Traditional Music & Dance Society and Adult Midwestern Unitarian Universal Singles Enrichment. She had a special fondness for gardening and indoor plants. A memorial mass was held at St. Anthony Catholic Church with Thomas H. Cusick as celebrant. Memorial contributions can be made in her honor to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements were made by David C. Brown Funeral, Belleville.

VASSEY, SARAH, 75, of Inkster, passed away on June 22, 2001. Loving wife of Burl. Dear mother to Claudia. Dearest grandmother to 7, great-grandmother of 10,and great-great-grandmother of two. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home. Interment at Westlawn Cemetary West.

WALKER, GLADYS, 88, of Inkster, passed away on June 28, 2001. Dear mother of Roosevelt, William, Donald, And Milton. Dearest grandmother to 9, great grandmother of 15. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home.

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City of Inkster
Case No. 01-119511-CH

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, City of Inkster, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph J. Applegate and Rose Applegate, his wife, and Elizabeth A. Slovik, Defendants. Order Allowing Substituted Service

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on July 26, 2001.

PRESENT: HONORABLE MICHAEL F. SAPALA, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.
This matter having come before the court for the Petition For Substituted Service and the court being fully advised in the premises.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that service of process be made upon the aforesaid Defendants in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give said Defendants actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that substituted service be made in accordance with MCR 2.105 and 2.106 to serve the aforesaid Defendants by posting at their last known address, by First Class Mail and by publication.

The Plaintiff has brought this action against Defendants and all other persons who may claim an interest in the following property in order to seek an abatement of a nuisance by demolition of the property located at 29488 Hazelwood, Inkster, MI, legally described as: Lot. 340 Grand View Garden's Subdivision No. 1, as recorded in Liber 47, Page 45 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants shall appear before the Honorable Michael F. Sapala in room 701 of the Wayne Circuit Court at 9:00 a.m. on September 4, 2001 to Show Cause why an order should not be entered abating a public nuisance by demolition.

Michael F. Sapala
Circuit Court Judge

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CITY OF ROMULUS
ORDINANCE NO. 01-215

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTIONS 38-1-2(gg), 38-8-3; AND 38-4-7 OF THE CITY OF ROMULUS EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN BY ALLOWING PARTICIPANTS TO DIRECT CHANGES IN INVESTMENTS ON A DAILY BASIS THROUGH A THIRD-PARTY.

The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, hereby ordains:

Section 1. Section 38-1-2(gg) is hereby amended to add the following:

Effective January 1, 2001, or as soon thereafter as is administratively, feasible, "Valuation Date" means every day the New York Stock Exchange is open for trading during regular business hours.

Section 2. Section 38-8-3 is hereby amended to add the following:

(i) Effective July 1, 2001. or as soon thereafter as is administrativley, feasible, a Participant may direct and modify the investment of his participant contributions, City contributions and after-tax contributions by filing a written form in accordance with paragraphs (a) through (c) above, or throuuh the recordkeeper's website, or by other electronic means. pursuant to uniform rules established by the Committee or by the recordkeeper. Investment directions and modifications shall be effective in accordance with rules established by the Committee or by the recordkeeper. All funds will be traded and posted in accordance with the Custodians settling dates. Notwithstanding paragraph (d) above, such investment directions and modifications shall be permitted no less frequently than quarterly and may, at the City's discretion, be permitted at any time in accordance with the uniform rules established by the Committee or by the recordkeeper.

Section 3. Section 38-4-7 is hereby amended to add the following:

Notwithstanding the foregoing and effective July 1, 2001, or as soon thereafter as is administratively feasible, to the extent that Participants Accounts are invested in Investment Funds providing for daily valuations determined by the sponsor of such Investment Funds. the earnings and market appreciation or depreciation of each Investment Fund, adjusted for contributions and withdrawals, shall be calculated by the sponsor of such Investment Fund in accordance with such sponsor's standard procedures, as of every Valuation Date.

The dividends, capital gains distributions and other earnings received on any share or unit of a regulated investment company or collective investment fund, or on any other Trust investment, less any expenses specifically related thereto, that are specifically credited to a Participant's investment directions under Section 38-8-3 shall be allocated to such separate Account and, in the absence of investment directions to the contrary, be immediately reinvested, to the extent practicable, in additional shares or units of such regulated investment company or collective investment fund, or in such other Trust investment.

Section 4. Saving Clause. Nothing in this Ordinance or in the Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court or administrative body, or any rights acquired. or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any Act or Ordinance hereby repealed by this Ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

Section 5. Severability. Should any word, sentence, phrase or any portion of this Ordinance be held in a manner invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction or by any state agency having authority to do so for any reason whatsoever, such holdings shall be construed and limited to such word, sentence, phrase or any portion of the Ordinance held to be so invalid and shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any of the remaining words, sentences, phrases or portions of this Ordinance.

Section 6. Conflicting Ordinances. All prior existing ordinances adopted by the City of Romulus inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, hereby expressly repealed.

Section 7. Readings. This Ordinance shall be given a first reading on June 25, 2001, shall be enacted on July 9, 2001 and shall be published on or before August 2, 2001 and shall be effective August 2, 2001.

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Romulus this 9th day of July, 2001.

William Oakley, Mayor
Linda Choate, City Clerk
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance as passed by the City Council of the City of Romulus at a regular Council Meeting held in the City Council Room in said City on the 9th day of July, 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk
I further certify that the foregoing was published in Romulus Roman a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Romulus, on the 2nd day of August 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk
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Publish: August 2, 2001

CITY OF ROMULUS
ORDINANCE NO. 01- 217

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE 2000 EDITION OF THE INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE, REGULATING AND GOVERNING PROPERTY MAINTENANCE AND PROTECTION FROM CONDITIONS HAZARDOUS TO LIFE OR PROPERTY IN THE OCCUPANCY OF BUILDINGS AND PREMISES IN THE CITY OF ROMULUS; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS; REPEALING THE ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE BOCA INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE OF THE CITY OF ROMULUS AND ALL OTHER ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF THE ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH.

The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, hereby ordains:

Section 1. Exemption. The City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter, hereby elects to assume responsibility for administration and enforcement of the International Property Maintenance Code of 2000 ("Code").

Section 2. Section 5-171 of Article IX of Chapter V of the Romulus City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

5-171 Code Adopted. The International Property Maintenance Code of 2000, as published by the International Code Council, Inc., is hereby adopted by reference and made a part hereof as if fully set out in this section, with additions, insertions, deletions, and changes, if any, prescribed in Section 5-172 of this article. A copy of that International Property Maintenance Code of 2000 shall be filed with the office of the City Clerk.

Section 3. Section 5-172 of Article IX of Chapter V of the Romulus City Code is hereby restated to read as follows:

5-172 References in code. As used in the International Property Maintenance Code of 2000, the term or reference in that code to the "name of jurisdiction" shall mean or refer to the City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan; the reference therein to the "date of adoption of this code" shall mean the date of adoption of this section; the reference therein to the word "state" shall mean the State of Michigan; the reference therein to the words "municipal charter" shall mean the Charter of the City of Romulus, and the reference therein to "local ordinances" shall mean or refer to the provisions of the Michigan Plumbing Code of the City of Romulus adopted by this section or other ordinances of the City. Additionally, the following section of the International Property Maintenance Code of 2000, are revised as follows:

Section PM-101. 1.
Insert:
"City of Romulus" for [Name of Jurisdiction]";

Section PM-103.6
A schedule of fees as may be adopted by Council from time to time.
Insert:
303.14. Insert dates of April 1, November 15;

Section 117.2.
Insert:
602.3. Insert dates January 1 to December 3 1;

Section 3408.2.
Insert:
602.4. Insert dates January 1, December 31.

Section 4. Saving Clause. Nothing in this Ordinance or in the Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court or administrative body, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any Act or Ordinance hereby repealed by this Ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

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NEWS FROM THE CITY OF INKSTER

Grant to fund police officer at high school

$42,000 is awarded Inskter high school

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

A $42,000 state grant awarded to the Inkster Community School District will help keep a police officer on the high school premises and fund programs that prevent crime and drug abuse.

State Representative Jim A. Plakas, a Democrat from Garden City whose 17th District includes the City of Inkster, announced that the Inkster grant is part of $354,000 in Byrne Memorial Formula Grants for school strategies and drug treatment programs for juveniles and adults.

"Families deserve to live in safe communities and our children must be protected from violence in schools," Plakas said. "This grant money will not only help fund programs that prevent crime and drug abuse, but also target potential problems before they develop into crime - and that's a valuable resource."

The $42,000 earmarked for Inkster schools will help continue the school district's resource program. Under the program, a police officer is placed in Inkster High School to deter crime and violent activity, assist with monitoring attendance for truancy violations and to serve as a positive role model for students.

Plakas also pointed out that there will be $295,313 dedicated to a new resource in the Inkster and River Rouge Public School system. Similar to the Inkster high School project, this project will place police officers and social workers in other schools throughout Inkster and Rouge, the first-term lawmaker stated.

In the meantime, the City of Westland was awarded $16,901 for the continuation of a program for repeat drug offenders who are placed on Intensive Probation as an alternative to jail. The program of the 18th District Court (Westland) includes weekly reporting, PBT's and drug screens.

"I'm pleased that our community will receive some valuable resources to help prevent crime and allow our children to have more opportunities to be successful," Plakas said. "Through these grants and the programs they will fund, we will be able to make our community safer,a better place to liv

Byrne Memorial Formula Grants are administered by the Michigan Department of Community Health.

African-American women needed for cancer study

There have been many new advances in trying to understand the role family history plays in breast cancer.

Learning more about heredity may lead to better treatments and prevention, and this is especially important to African Americans.

Researchers know that twice as many African-American women are likely to die of breast cancer than white women.

To explore this issue, the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute is conducting a study on family history and breast cancer.

Participation in this study simply means being interviewed.

The study asks questions about family history, impressions, thoughts and feelings about breast cancer.

The interviews will take approximately one hour, researchers say.

Inkster-based Starfish Family Services is leading its assistance by helping Karmanos reach women who might qualify for this important research project.

If you are an African-American woman, at least 18-years-old, and have a sister, mother or daughter who has been diagnosed with breast cancer please call Marjorie Wood at 313-745-1699.

Candidates may also call 1-800-KARMANOS to request an interview.

Interviews may be conducted at one of the Starfish Family Service locations or at a different convenient location.

Those candidates selected to participate in the study will receive a $25 stipend for their assistance.

Officials point out that there is only a limited number of appointments available, so please don't hesitate to contact the office.

Alandra Dean

Local girl finalist in pre-teen pageant

A talented Westland girl has been selected as a finalist in the Pre-Teen America Scholarship and Recognition Program.

The finalist, Alandra Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony C. Dean, has qualified for the Pre-Teen Michigan pageantry which will be staged Aug. 10-12 at the Holiday Inn in Lansing.

Pre-Teen Michigan is a by-invitation — only Scholarship and Recognition event involving young ladies 7 to 12 years of age based on their academic records, awards and honors won and/or their participation in outside activities.

Several other criteria are used to evaluate the state finalists: academic achievement, volunteer service to church and community, school honors and activities, development of personal skills and, general knowledgeability,. communication ability, and on stage-acknowledgement of accomplishments.

Pre-Teen Michigan will award over $5,000 in educational bonds, prizes and awards.

Westwood seeks kids for readiness program

If you have a child of preschool age, you may want to register him - or her - in the Westwood Community School District's "Readiness Program."

School officials this week announced that they will be accepting applications for September in the district's "Readiness Program". Children will be offered a wide range of activities which are planned to help preschoolers prepare for kindergarten.

The free program is open to all children who will be four-years-old by Dec. 1.

To qualify for the program, a child must reside in the Westwood School District, which includes the cities of Inkster, Dearborn Heights, a small section of Dearborn and Taylor.

All income levels are accepted, school officials stress.

Children are taught by certified teachers, and they will attend classes three hours a day, four days a week.

Educators say that it is imperative that children of preschool age receive training by qualified teachers before they start their formal education.

Parents in need of more information on how to enroll their child or children should contact Elaine Pencinis, program director. She can be reached by dialing 313-292-1691.

Police chaplain attends international conference

A local chaplain attended the 28th annual International Conference of Police Chaplains held in South Bend, Indiana.

Hyrdian Elliott, who serves as pastor at St. James United Methodist Church in Westland and is a Wayne resident, was among the more than 700 law enforcement chaplains and departmental liaison police officers and their families who attended the week-long seminars. They represented a wide variety of religions and denominations.

"I found it very rewarding," said Elliott, who was in the contingent that represented the Michigan State Police. "One of the highlights of this training seminar was the Memorial Service held honoring peace officers from every country represented who had been killed in the line-of-duty during the last year."

Hyrdian Elliott

Elliott was able to hear presentations that dealt with such diverse topics as Ethics in Law Enforcement, Death Notification, Post Traumatic Stress Syndrome, Officer Injury of Death, The Chaplain and the Crime Scene, Drug Enforcement and Precautions for the Chaplain, the Psychophysiology of Alcohol Addiction, Street Survival Training, Advanced Critical Stress Management, and Surviving as an experienced Chaplain.

The program was a three-state event hosted by the Illinois, Indiana and Michigan State Police Agencies, the South Bend and Mishawaka Police Departments (Indiana) and the St. Joseph County Sheriff's Department (Indiana).

Police Chaplains and law enforcement Liaison Officers all across the United States and Canada as well as the Bahamas, Great Britain, Jamaica, New Zealand, South Africa and Venezuela also were represented at the conference.

CITY OF INKSTER
INVITATION FOR BIDS

THE CITY OF INKSTER will receive bids at the OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, 2121 Inkster Road, Inkster, Michigan 48141 until 10:00 A.M. Wednesday, August 15, 2001 at which time and place bids will be opened and read for the following:

SALE OF CONFISCATED JEWELRY

Specifications may be picked up after 3:00 P.M. on Thursday, August 2, 2001 from the Purchasing Department 2121 Inkster Road, Inkster, Michigan 48141. Viewing of the items will be available during the week of August 6th thru 10th 2001, from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at the Inkster Police Department, 27301 South River Park Drive, Inkster, MI 48141. Those wishing to view the items before submitting a bid can contact Detective Lieutenant David Quashnie or Officer Kenneth Szmansky at (313) 563-9856.

THE CITY OF INKSTER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS, TO AWARD SPLIT BIDS, AND TO WAIVE ANY IRREGULARITIES OR ACCEPT ANY BID IT MAY DEEM TO BE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITY OF INKSTER.

Kimberly Turner
Inkster City Clerk
2121 Inkster Road, Inkster, Michigan 48141
Publish: August 2, 2001

City of Inkster
Case No. 01-119512-CH

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wavne, City of Inkster, Plaintiff, vs. Marguerite W. Teeghman, James Cronk and Lois Cronk, Hartwood 88', Inc., American Bankers Life Insurance Co. and State of Michigan, Defendants. Order Allowing Substituted Service

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on July 26, 2001.

PRESENT: HONORABLE MICHAEL F. SAPALA, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.
This matter having come before the court for the Petition For Substituted Service and the court being fully advised in the premises.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that service of process be made upon the aforesaid Defendants in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give said Defendants actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that substituted service be made in accordance with MCR 2.105 and 2.106 to serve the aforesaid Defendants by posting at their last known address, by First Class Mail and by publication.

The Plaintiff has brought this action against Defendants and all other persons who may claim an interest in the following property in order to seek an abatement of a nuisance by demolition of the property located at 1275 Middlebelt, Inkster, MI, legally described as: Lot 172, except the 10 feet taken for widening of Middlebelt, Grand View Garden's Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 45, Page 94 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants shall appear before the Honorable Michael F. Sapala in room 701 of the Wayne Circuit Court at 9:00 a.m. on September 4, 2001 to Show Cause why an order should not be entered abating a public nuisance by demolition.

Michael F. Sapala
Circuit Court Judge

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City of Inkster
Case No. 01-119514-CH

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wavne, City of Inkster, Plaintiff, vs. Nathaniel Ward, Defendant. Order Allowing Substituted Service

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on July 26, 2001.

PRESENT: HONORABLE MICHAEL F. SAPALA, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.
This matter having come before the court for the Petition For Substituted Service and the court being fully advised in the premises.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that service of process be made upon the aforesaid Defendants in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give said Defendants actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that substituted service be made in accordance with MCR 2.105 and 2.106 to serve the aforesaid Defendants by posting at their last known address, by First Class Mail and by publication.

The Plaintiff has brought this action against Defendant and all other persons who may claim an interest in the following property in order to seek an abatement of a nuisance by demolition of the property located at 26305 Plum, Inkster, MI, legally described as: Lot 346, including the adjoining one-half of the vacated public alley at the rear thereof, Westwood's Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 41, Page 19 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants shall appear before the Honorable Michael F. Sapala in room 701 of the Wayne Circuit Court at 9:00 a.m. on September 4, 2001 to Show Cause why an order should not be entered abating a public nuisance by demolition.

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City of Inkster
Case No. 01-122469-CH

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, City of Inkster, Plaintiff, vs. Lucille M. Wilson, FUNB Custodian for PJR special, Inc., ESI-97, Mooring Tax Asset Group, LLC, and Wayne County Treasurer, Defendants. Order Allowing Substituted Service

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on July 26, 2001.

PRESENT: HONORABLE MICHAEL F. SAPALA, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.
This matter having come before the court for the Petition For Substituted Service and the court being fully advised in the premises.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that service of process be made upon the aforesaid Defendants in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give said Defendants actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that substituted service be made in accordance with MCR 2.105 and 2.106 to serve the aforesaid Defendants by posting at their last known address, by First Class Mail and by publication.

The Plaintiff has brought this action against Defendants and all other persons who may claim an interest in the following property in order to seek an abatement of a nuisance by demolition of the property located at 3218 Springhill, Inkster, MI, legally described as: Lot 287, Dearborn Acres Subdivision No. 2, as recorded in Liber 33, Page 79 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants shall appear before the Honorable Michael F. Sapala in room 701 of the Wayne Circuit Court at 9:00 a.m. on September 4, 2001 to Show Cause why an order should not be entered abating a public nuisance by demolition.

Michael F. Sapala
Circuit Court Judge

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